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MRS. CARMAN ON THE STAND TWO HOURS

She is Put Through Rigid Cross Examination

MURDER OF MRS. BAILEY

Plied With Questions Concerning Her Actions Just Prior to Killing, at the Moment and Just Afterward.

Freeport, N. Y., July 3.—Mrs. Edwin Carman, wife of the Freeport physician in whose office Mrs. Louis Bailey, wife of a wealthy New York manufacturer, was mysteriously murdered Tuesday night, was on the witness stand at the coroner's inquest more than two hours today and submitted to a rigid cross examination concerning her actions just prior to the killing, just after it, and at the moment it occurred.

Mrs. Carman emphatically denied she was on the porch of her home just before the murder, that she had walked around on the ground floor while Mrs. Bailey was in her husband's office, or that she entered the office while the victim's body was lying on the floor.

George Golder, a patient, who had been waiting to see Dr. Carman, on the night of the murder, swore he had seen the physician's wife do all these things.

When it was suggested that perhaps Golder had mistaken Mrs. Carman for her sister, the witness was confronted with both women and immediately identified Mrs. Carman as the one he had seen.

Mrs. Carman, although nervous, told substantially the same story she related the morning after the murder. This was that she had gone to her home immediately after dinner the night of the murder and except for a space of a minute had remained there even after she had heard the tinkle of breaking glass and the report of the revolver as it sent a bullet through Mrs. Bailey's heart.

She told how she had contracted for the installation of the telephonic instrument in her husband's office so she could hear what he said to his women patients and how she had ripped it out the morning after the murder before she had clothed herself or had her breakfast.

Spied on Her Husband.

Mrs. Carman also told of spying on her husband through the same window the assassin used, of seeing him hand a nurse, a Mrs. Variance, a $20 bill, and of watching the nurse kiss her husband on the cheek. The kiss, she said, caused her to rap on the same pane of glass which later was broken by the person who killed Mrs. Bailey.

Then she went inside, where she slapped the nurse's face, demanded and received the $20 bill and in turn was warned by her husband that if she ever repeated the performance or ever spied on him again "all would be over," between them.

Dr. Carman Testifies.

Mrs. Carman's sister, visibly nervous, also testified. The other witnesses were Dr. Carman himself, two patients who were waiting to consult him, and the physicians who performed the autopsy. The others under subpoena will tell their stories Monday.

Dr. Carman denied that his wife had been in the office after the shooting. He might have seen her in the waiting room, he said. He saw her next upstairs, he said, "after everything had quieted down."

"Who let Mrs. Bailey into the house?" asked the district attorney.

"I do not know," the physician replied.

He said Mrs. Bailey died two minutes after she was shot. He told of removing the bullet and he identified it when it was shown to him. He said he heard no sound outside of the window before the glass was pushed in.

Dr. Carman said he did not know where Mrs. Carman was when the shot was fired.

READY WITHIN 36 DAYS TO ISSUE NEW CURRENCY

Complete Plans for Issuance of Reserve Notes.

Practically Decided That Notes of All Denominations Will Have Green Back of Same Design —Conference.

Washington, July 3.—Plans for the issuance of the new Federal reserve bank notes to the 12 reserve banks after their establishment will be completed within 36 days. This was announced here today by John Skelton Williams, comptroller of the currency, after several conferences with Secretary McAdoo and Director Ralph, of the bureau of printing and engraving.

It practically has been decided that notes of all denominations will have a green back of the same design. This would make it necessary for notes to be stacked right side up before they can be counted and would simplify the work of tellers. The notes will be denominations of five, ten, twenty, fifty and one hundred dollars. Portraits of Lincoln, Cleveland, Jackson, Grant and Franklin have been considered for use on the various notes, but a definite decision has not been reached.

WASHINGTON HOLDS TO OPTIMISTIC VIEW

Despite No Definite Word from General Carranza.

MESSAGES ARE RECEIVED

But These Ask for Further Information About Proposed Conference and Attitude of the United States.

Washington, July 3.—With Mexican mediation in recess pending action by the Constitutional officials, the Washington government tonight refused to concede that all chances for peace had fled.

Administration leaders held to this optimistic view despite the fact that no definite word has come from General Carranza, first chief of the Constitutionalists, respecting the conference with his subordinate generals over the invitation from the mediators for his agents to participate in discussion with the Huerta representatives.

Tonight Charles A. Douglas, one of Carranza's counsellors, who has been chiefly interested in efforts to bring about the meeting between the Mexican antagonists, had a long conference with Secretary Bryan. Previous to this he had conferred for hours with Rafael Zubaran and Luis Cabrera, Carranza's chief agents in Washington.

It was admitted that messages had been received from General Carranza at Saltillo, but it was learned these messages asked for further information about the proposed conference and also with relation to the attitude of the United States. It was intimated that some assurances were wanted by the Constitutionalists as to when the United States would retire from Vera Cruz in the event the Constitutionalists should agree to provisional government pending a Constitutional election. Mr. Bryan would not discuss the situation but the general indication in all sources was that nothing definite would be known concerning the Constitutionalists' decision for several days.

That the Washington government still is exerting all possible influence upon the Constitutionalists to yield to the proposed conference again was apparent. John R. Silliman, vice consult at Saltillo left tonight to return to his post there, to do everything in his power to induce General Carranza and his associate leaders to agree to a provisional government. Mr. Silliman had a long talk with President Wilson before his departure.

Mr. Cabrera and Mr. Zubaran still expressed hope that a favorable reply would be received from General Carranza, despite the fact that Fernando Iglesias, leader of the Liberal party in Mexico and personal friend of General Carranza, authorized the statement that Constitutionalists never would treat with Huerta's delegates except upon terms of surrender.

Mr. Cabrera and Mr. Zubaran would not comment upon this statement, but it was pointed out that the chief agent of General Carranza in Washington, through whom all official statements were transmitted, was Mr. Zubaran. He insisted that there was no definite word from his chief regarding the proposed conference.

Justice Lamar and Mr. Lehmann, the American commissioners to the Niagara Falls conference, returned to Washington today and talked briefly with President Wilson and Secretary Bryan. The President congratulated them upon their painstaking work. No formal conference was held but the commissioners expect to see the President again probably next Monday. They will remain here subject to call should the Constitutionalists agree to meet the Huerta delegates. The American commissioners did not confere with any of the Constitutionists nor do they expect to until some definite plan of action is agreed upon.

JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN DEAD IN LONDON HOME

One of Most Striking Figures in British Politics.

Though He Had Been a Paralytic for Years, His Death Was a Surprise—Great Advocate of Imperialism.

London, July 3.—Joseph Chamberlain, one of the most striking figures in British politics in the past generation, died at his London home late last night. His death came as a surprise. He had been suffering with paralysis, yet the condition of his health was not known to be any worse than it had been for the past three years.

Mrs. Chamberlain, who never left her husband's side since he was stricken with paralysis seven years ago, and his son, Austen Chamberlain, were with him when death came. The event cast a gloom over the London season, which was at its height.

Mr. Chamberlain's last public appearance was at a garden party on the grounds of his Birmingham home on May 6th, last, when, with his wife and son, he received several hundred constituents. He was wheeled out on the lawn in a chair and appeared very feeble when he lifted his hat to friends and neighbors in acknowledgment of their salutes.

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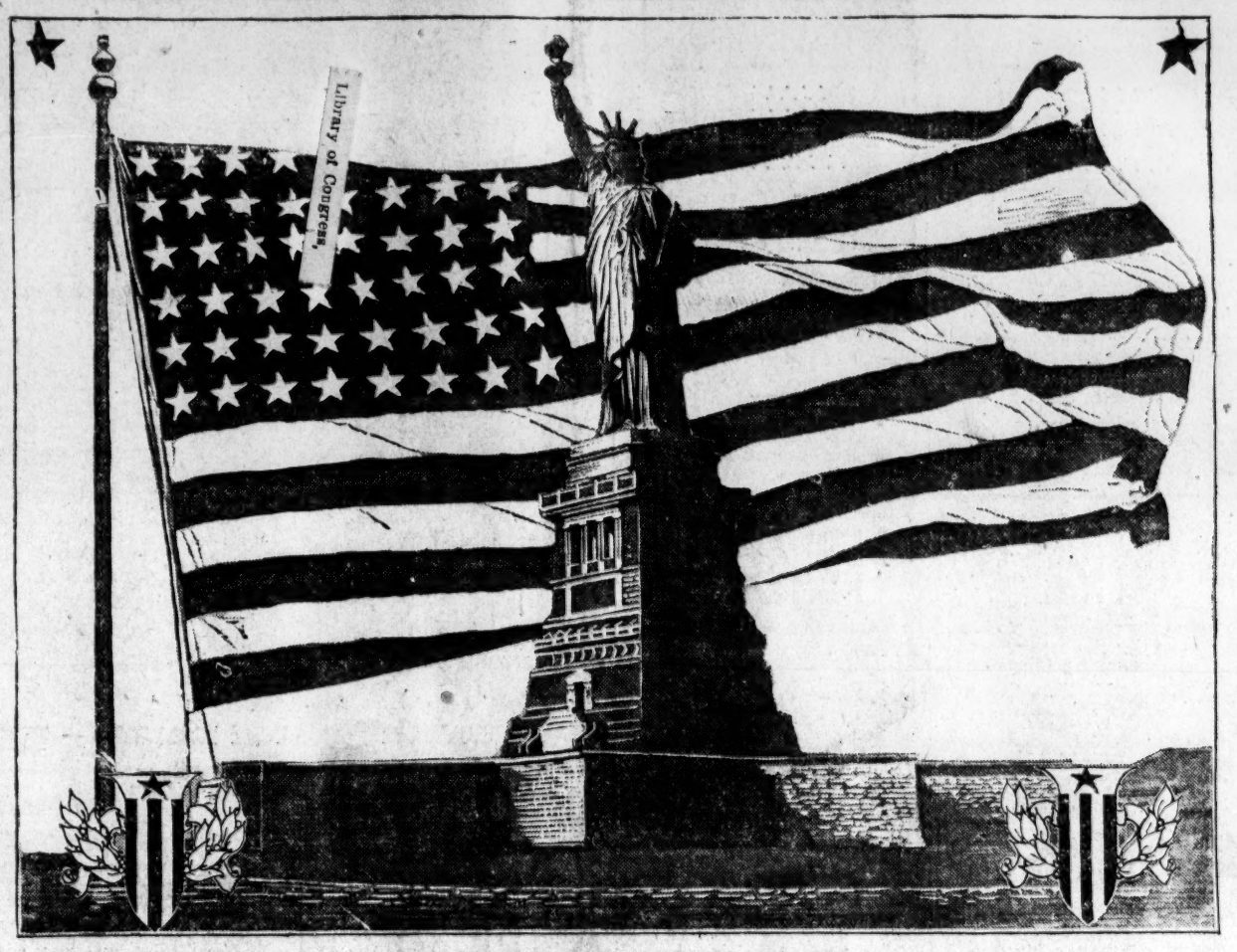

WILL NOT ADJOURN BEFORE OCTOBER 1

Kitchin's Opinion of the Congressional Situation.

Based Upon "Passed Performances of the Senate," Which Will Take Three Months With Anti-trust Bills.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., July 3.—In the opinion of Representative Kitchin, Congress will not adjourn before October 1. Mr. Kitchin bases this opinion on "past performances" of the Senate. He maintains that the Senate always takes from four to five times as long to understand any piece of legislation as the House, and this, too, notwithstanding the fact that all important measures originate in the House.

He says it will take the Senate at least three months to pass the present anti-trust bills and therefore Congress will be here close onto October.

Income Tax From Carolina.

The statement made public tonight by the Treasury Department shows that Commissioner Osborne collected in income tax from corporations and individuals in North Carolina $147,339.68 in the fourth collection district from corporations and $27,363.86 from individuals; and in the fifth district $159,486.31 from corporations and $19,202.69 from individuals.

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THREE STATES PAY MORE THAN HALF THE NEW TAX.

Wall Street Alone Pays About One-fifth of Total.

Washington, July 3.—New York, Pennsylvania and Illinois paid more than half of the $71,386,146 turned into the National Treasury in income and corporation taxes during the fiscal year just closed. A detailed statement of collections made public today showed these three States contributed $37,931,717.

New York State alone paid $12,523,247.03 in individual income tax, while the entire amount paid by individuals throughout the country was $28,306,336.69.

The second New York internal revenue district, which includes the Wall street section of New York City, paid $13,839,098.43 in individual and corporation tax combined, or nearly one-fifth of the amount paid by all the rest of the United States.

ROOSEVELT QUITS OUTLOOK.

Resigns Place on Editorial Staff of Magazine—No "Break."

New York, July 3—Theodore Roosevelt has resigned from the editorial staff of the Outlook, it was learned tonight. He had been a contributing editor since March, 1909, when he left the White House.

Lawrence Abbott, one of the proprietors of the publication, said there had been no break in relations between the colonel and the magazine management.

Spend Sunday evening on the river. 15c to pier and return. Str. Wilmington leaves at 7:30 P. M.

KILLED HIS WIFE HER MOTHER AND HIMSELF

Three Victims of Murder and Suicide Found.

Indications Are That He Forced Wife to Drink Poison, Then Strangled Her, Then Shot Mother-in-Law.

Atlanta, Ga., July 3.—Three victims of murder and suicide were found in a wooded and unfrequented locality near here today. The dead were S. F. Bennett, a carpenter about 30 years old, Mrs. Flossie Bennett, his 17-year-old wife, and Mrs. Mattie Tolbert, 49 years old, the dead man's mother-in-law.

Notes found in Bennett's clothing and investigation by the police and coroner indicated he had forced his wife to drink poison and then strangled and clubbed her to death, then lured the dead girl's mother to the scene and killed her with a shotgun after showing her the body of her daughter, and finally shot and killed himself. One of Bennett's notes said his wife had taken poison, but the authorities do not credit it.

Wednesday afternoon he took a walk with his young wife to the wooded section where the bodies were found. He later returned here alone and yesterday induced his mother-in-law to accompany him to the locality, saying he wished her to identify some clothing a negro laundry woman had refused to return to his wife. His notes indicated that after killing her he spent last night at the scene of death and then shot himself early today.

A single barreled shotgun was found tied to a stump near his body. One of Bennett's notes addressed to Samuel Tolbert, his brother-in-law, said that the triple tragedy was the result of interference in Bennett's family life by his mother-in-law and others. The couple had been separated several times since their marriage about a year ago. It was Bennett's second marriage.

"DEMOCRATS" RUNNING TO OYSTER BAY FOR CONFAB.

Mayor Mitchell Led the Way; Others Are Following.

Oyster Bay, L. I., July 3.—It was learned tonight that following the visit to Col. Roosevelt of Mayor Mitchel, of New York, other Democratic leaders probably will come to Oyster Bay. Their identities were not disclosed but it was said they are Democrats of prominence. Few developments since the Colonel's resumption of political activities have given rise to so much conjecture as his conferences, past and intended, with Democrats.

10,000 PERSONS DROWNED.

Canton, China, July 3.—Reports received here say 10,000 persons were drowned in the West river floods, which this year were worse than usual, and that deaths from starvation in the affected districts have been numerous.

TRIAL OF HUMAN BLOOD TAKES WOMAN'S LIBERTY

Mrs. Angle Refuses to Talk, is Held Without Bail.

Efforts to Solve Mystery of Death of Waldo R. Ballou Place Mrs. Angle in Cell—Heretofore Under $5,000 Bond.

Stamford, Cann., July 3.—Because expert testimony showed that a trail of human blood ran from the lower hall of the building up two flights of stairs and into her apartments and because she would make no statements, Mrs. Helen M. Angle was held without bail late today by order of Coroner John J. Phelan, who is investigating the death of Waldo R. Ballou, on the night of June 23. Mrs. Angle had been at liberty under a $5,000 bond, given by her father.

Ballou was found dying on the sidewalk in front of the building where Mrs. Angle lived. She told the police he fell down a flight of stairs while under the influence of liquor.

Mrs. Angle was taken into custody today after she had been given a private hearing in the office of the chief of police at which she refused to make a statement. She collapsed when she realized she had to go to a cell.

Chief of Police Brennan, the first witness at the inquiry; amplified testimony previously given, in which he had quoted what Mrs. Angle had said regarding a white shirt found in a bureau drawer. The chief said he had shown shirt to Mrs. Angle, saying "Nellie, what does this mean?"

She replied: "Bill, for God's sake, don't show that up."

Brennan said he replied: "I won't unless I am obliged to."

The chief identified a pair of spectacles found in a box with other articles on the veranda.

BUY MARKET STREET PROPERTY.

Messrs. Honnet Purchase Property Next to Yates' Bookstore.

Coincident with announcement yesterday of the purchase of the store at No. 109 Market srteet by Mr. Chas. F. Green from Dr. J. H. Honnet and Mr. Geo. Honnet, it was learned from an authoritative source that the Messrs. Honnet had purchased from Mr. C. N. Evans and the estate of the late B. O. Stone the store next east of Messrs. C. W. Yates & Co., on Market street, paying therefor in the neighborhood of $15,000. The property was purchased a few years ago by Messrs. Stone and Evans for $12,500 it is stated, so that it is seen that there is no contraction of real estate values in the downtown sections of the city, especially in the business district. The sale to Mr. Green and the sale to the Messrs. Honnet was consummated through the real estate agency of Messrs. James & James, it is stated.

Today at Lumina.

Athletic contests start 11 A. M. Music, dancing, surf bathing. Exhibition dancing and moving pictures at night. (advertisement.)

For fireworks, go to Rehder's Big Toy Store today. (advertisement.)

MR. BRYAN REPUDIATES CRITICISM OF ALBANIA

State Department Not Responsible for Statement.

Statements Alleged to Have Been Made by Minister to Greece Made on Personal Responsibility of Williams.

Washington, July 3.—Responsibility for published statements criticising conditions in Albania, credited to George Fred Williams, minister of the United States to Greece, was disclaimed by the State Department tonight, in a formal statement issued by Secretary Bryan.

The minister's report on his activities in the Balkans has not reached Washington and officials of the government have been silent concerning press dispatches quoting him.

Secretary Bryan's statement reads:

"In reply to inquiries addressed to the State Department as to what authority the American minister at Athens had to make remarks attributed to him relative to the condition of affairs in Albania, the Secretary of State has replied that Mr. Williams was only authorized by the Department of State to visit Epirus to observe conditions and report the result of his observations to the department and that the published remarks he is alleged to have made were given solely on his own responsibility, and with no authority whatsoever from the department. Mr. Williams' report of his visit has not yet been received."

In official circles the action of the government in issuing this statement without awaiting the arrival of Mr. Williams' report was regarded as significant. It was said President Wilson himself had called the department's attention to the gravity of the situation, suggesting that no time should be lost in letting it be known that in attacking the Prince of Weid and his government in Albania, Minister Williams was not acting on instructions from Washington.

HEAD-ON COLLISON OF TWO PASSENGER TRAINS.

Six Persons Seriously Injured and More Than 20 Hurt.

Macon, Ga., July 3.—Six persons were seriously injured and more than a score of others hurt late today when a Jacksonville, Fla., excursion train on the Georgia Southern & Florida Railroad collided head-on with a Macon & Birmingham Railroad local passenger train seven miles south of here.

Neither of the trains was running more than 20 miles an hour, according to witnesses, and it is believed this prevented the wreck from being more serious. The engines met on a 30-foot trestle and almost completetelescoped each other. Both trains, however, remained on the track.

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NEWMAN ON STAND CHOKES WITH SOBS

Tells Story of Struggles to Promote Gold Hill Mine.

LETTERS NOT TO BOOST

Those Written on Senate Committee Stationery, Without Knowledge of Overman and Chilton, Sent Stock Down.

Washington, July 3.—W. G. Newman, promoter of a North Carolina gold mine, told a Senate investigating committee a tearful story today about the use of official letter paper of the census and rules committees for circulation of a letter from a mining engineer praising the property. He testified he asked Senator Overman's stenographer to make copies of the letter and that a clerk in the census committee made others. Senators Overman and Chilton, chairmen of those committees, knew nothing of it, he said.

While Newman was telling the story of his struggles to promote the property, he wept, and once sobs stopped him.

Newman said about 35 or 40 copies of the letter on Senate paper were sent out, but that they were sent to his personal friends, among the Gold Hill stockholders. None of them was used to "boost" the stock, he protested.

Letters Sent Stock Down.

The witness said that appearance of the letters on Senate stationery sent the stock down from 75 to 50 cents a share, although the mining engineer reported the Gold Hill property worth $80,000,000.

"Nobody believed that statement," said Newman.

In a voice choked with emotion the promoter told the committee of early struggles of himself and his brother, J. J. Newman, to develop the Gold Hill mine.

"My brother saw things going to pieces," he said, "and he took five sticks of dynamite and blew himself into ten thousand pieces. He left a letter saying his life's work was gone. He said North Carolina was the richest State in the Union. When I heard that I took oath, I'd never let go that property until I proved his statement or went the way he went."

Wanted Charlotte Mint Re-opened.

Newman said he sent some of the ore from the mine to John Skelton Williams, then assistant Secretary of the Treasury, and asked that the Charlotte, N. C., mint be re-opened so that the gold could be turned into cash readily. He said Mr. Williams told him he had no authority to open the mint, but he had sent a Treasury expert to look over the mine.

Newman frequently used the President's room behind the Senate chamber, he said, for his conferences about the mine, but declared he had gone there each time at the invitation of some senator. He named Senators Overman, Chilton, Martin, Swanson and Pomerene as those with whom he had talked about the project.

Williams and Roberts Questioned.

John Skelton Williams, who is now Comptroller of the Currency, and Geo. E. Roberts, director of the mint, were questioned at the conclusion of Newman's examination and corroborated in effect those parts of the promoter's story which concerned them.

Mr. Roberts said that at Mr. Williams' request and after conferences with Newman he had sent F. G. Roberts, assayer of the mint bureau, to examine the mine.

WTLSON SENDS SPECIAL MESSAGE TO CONGRESS

Urges Appropriation of $200,000 for Homeless in Salem.

Brief Message, Incorporating Appeal From Governor Walsh, is Referred to Committee on Appropriations—Action Soon.

Washington, July 3.—President Wilson sent a special message to Congress today urging the immediate appropriation of $200,000 for the relief of those made homeless and destitute in the Salem fire. He enclosed a telegram from Governor Walsh, saying that 3,000 families were in need.

The message was as follows:

"The Governor of Massachusetts has sent me the following telegram:

"The Salem fund is increasing slowly. The expense of rehabilitation will be enormous, as 3,000 families are homeless and without work. If the National government could appropriate $200,000, it would assist greatly. I am informed that the action of the National government at the time of the San Francisco disaster furnished a precedent. Can anything in the way of a substantial contribution from the National government be obtained?"

"In view of the great number of homeless and destitute in Salem, I very earnestly urge the immediate appropriation by Congress of $200,000, as requested by the Governor, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War."

The message was referred to the House appropriations committee, which will not take it up before early next week, at least.

W. JOHNSON DOWNED RANKIN, 12 TO 0. MACKMEN WON TWO.

:: SPORTS ::

GIANTS TAKE FIRST PIRATES DOWNED CUBS. DODGERS FROM BRAVES.

∴ STANDING OF THE MAJOR LEAGUE CLUBS ∴

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	41	28	.594
Detroit	41	31	.569
Washington	37	32	.536
Boston	38	33	.535
St. Louis	37	33	.529
Chicago	35	33	.515
New York	23	45	.354
Cleveland	24	44	.353

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	38	24	.613
Chicago	37	32	.536
St. Louis	35	35	.500
Cincinnati	34	34	.500
Philadelphia	30	32	.484
Pittsburgh	31	32	.492
Brooklyn	29	33	.468
Boston	26	38	.406

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	38	26	.594
Indianapolis	36	27	.571
Baltimore	35	28	.556
Buffalo	31	28	.525
Kansas City	32	32	.471
Brooklyn	28	32	.467
Pittsburgh	29	35	.423
St. Louis	27	41	.397

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Chicago 3; St. Louis 2; (13 in.)
At Philadelphia 2; New York 0.
2nd: Philadelphia 1; New York 0.
At Washington 12; Boston 0.
2nd: Washington 1; Boston 3.
At Detroit 8; Cleveland 2.

At St. Louis 3; Cincinnati 5.
At New York 6; Philadelphia 3.
At Pittsburg 2; Chicago 1.
At Boston 5; Brooklyn 6.

At Brooklyn 9; Buffalo 1.
At Pittsburg 0; Baltimore 7.
2nd: Pittsburg 4; Baltimore 9.
At Indianapolis 2; Chicago 5.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

St. Louis at Chicago (2).
Cleveland at Detroit (2).
Boston at Washington (2).
New York at Philadelphia 2).

Brooklyn at Boston (2).
Philadelphia at New York (2).
Chicago at Pittsburg (2).
Cincinnati at St. Louis 2).

Buffalo at Brooklyn (2).
Baltimore at Pittsburg (2).
Chicago at Indianapolis.
St. Louis at Kansas City.

AMERICAN

ATHLETICS TAKE BOTH FROM CHANCE'S YANKEES.

Errors Were Responsible for Every Score in Both Games.

Philadelphia, July 3.—Errors were responsible for all of the runs scored in today's double header here, Philadelphia defeating New York twice 2 to 0 and 1 to 0. The first contest was a duel between Bender and Warhop.

New York .....000 000 000—0 5 3
Philadelphia ....000 200 00x—2 4 6
Warhop and Nunemaker; Bender and Schang.

Second game:
New York .....000 000 000—0 3 2
Philadelphia ....000 000 10x—1 7 0
Pieh, Keating and Sweeney; Shawkey and Lapp.

COVELESKIE AT BEST; TIGERS WON EASILY.

Defeated Cleveland Naps Yesterday Eight to Two.

Detroit, July 3.—Coveleskie allowed Cleveland but four hits today while his team mates were pounding three visiting pitchers for 12 hits, the Tigers winning 8 to 2. Kirke, who joined Cleveland today, played a good game at first base.

Cleveland .....000 200 000—2 4 2
Detroit .....201 100 40x—8 12 1
Collamore, James, Morton and O'Neill; Coveleskie and McKee.

BERGER'S HIT IN 13TH GAVE VICTORY TO CHICAGO.

Game With St. Louis Browns Went Thirteen Innings.

Chicago, July 3.—Berger's hit after two men were out in the 13th inning gave Chicago a 3 to 2 victory over St. Louis today. James was taken out to let a pinch hitter bat for him in the 13th. Weilman and Baumgardner finished the game.

St. Louis .....000 000 200 0000—2 5 3
Chicago .....000 200 000 0001—3 9 0
James, Weilman, Baumgardner and Agnew and Crossin; Faber and Schalk.

RED SOX AND SENATORS DIVIDE DOUBLE BILL.

W. Johnson Downed A. Johnson 12 to Nothing in First.

Washington, July 3.—Washington and Boston divided a double header here today, the locals winning the first game 12 to 0 and the Red Sox taking the second 3 to 1. The Red Sox won the second game in the 10th after two were out on singles by Yerkes and Wood and Cady's double.

Boston .....000 000 000— 0 6 2
Washington ...102 204 03x—12 13 2
A. Johnson, Cooper and Cady and Thomas; W. Johnson, Harper and Ainsmith and Henry.

Second game.
Boston .....000 000 0102—3 6 1
Washington ...000 000 1000—1 5 1
Wood and Cady; Boehling and Henry.

Spend Sunday evening on the river. Ride to pier and return. Str. Wilmington leaves at 7:30 P. M.

For fireworks, go to Rehder's Big Toy Store today. (advertisement.)

NATIONAL

DEMAREE AT HIS BEST GIANTS WIN EASILY.

Defeated Dooin's Daisies 6 to 3 in the Opening Game.

New York, July 3.—New York today easily defeated Philadelphia 6 to 3 in the opening game of their series. Demaree pitched his best game in weeks and held the visitors to three hits, until he weakened in the ninth, when Philadelphia scored three runs on two doubles, a single and two infield outs.

Philadelphia ....000 000 003—3 6 0
New York .. ..101 202 00x—6 10 0
Oeschger, Mattison and Killifer; Demaree and McLean.

PITTSBURG PIRATES WIN TWIRLERS' BATTLE.

Pittsburg, July 3.—In a pitchers' battle, Pittsburg won from Chicago today 2 to 1. O'Toole and Lavender each allowed but four hits.

Chicago .. ..010 000 000—1 4 2
Pittsburg .. ...000 000 20x—2 4 0
Lavender and Bresnahan; O'Toole and Coleman.

DODGERS DOWNED BRAVES ON CLOSE TALLY

Bostonese Came Near Scoring Tieing Run in Seventh.

Boston July 3.—Brooklyn won from Boston today. Gilbert's home run with none out and two on base in the seventh, brought Boston within one run of tying the score, and Evers followed with a single, but local batsmen were unable to score again.

Brooklyn .. ...210 200 100—6 9 1
Boston .. ..200 000 300—5 8 5
Aitchison, Regan and McCarty; Strand, Crutcher, Cocreham and and Whaling.

CINCY WINS AGAIN WITH HERZOG BACK.

Was More Fortunate in Placing Their Hits Than St. Louis.

St. Louis, July 3.—Cincinnati was more fortunate in placing its hits than St. Louis today and won the opening game of the series 5 to 3. Cincinnati was strengthened by Manager Herzog's return to the game.

Cincinnati .. ..000 200 021—5 7 1
St. Louis .. ...100 010 001—3 6 0
Schneider, Ames and Clark; Doak, Griner and Wingo.

LUMBERTON BOYS AGAIN DOWN FAIRMONT NINE.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., July 3.—Lumberton defeated Fairmont here today in one of the most interesting games of the season, ten to nine. The all around batting and a double play by Pope to North Wrenn were the outstanding features.

Batteries: Lumberton, McLean, Edwards and Deese; Fairmont, Galloway, Winston and Jones and Pitman.

Today at Lumina.

Athletic contests start 11 A. M. Music, dancing, surf bathing. Exhibition dancing and moving pictures at night. (advertisement.)

FEDERAL

BUFFALO LOSES THIRD CONSECUTIVE GAME.

Houck, Former Athletic Twirler, Gets His First Victory.

Brooklyn, July 3.—Buffalo lost its third consecutive game today to Brooklyn 9 to 1. Houck, the former Athletic pitcher, won his first game since entering this league.

Brooklyn .....331 010 01x—9 12 0
Buffalo .....000 100 000—1 8 1
Houck and Land; Moore, Moran, Anderson, Purser and Blair.

BALTIMORE TOOK ALL OF DOUBLE BILL.

Seven to Nothing and Nine to Four Scores Against Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, July 3.—Baltimore took a double header today from Pittsburg defeating the latter by a score of 7 to 0 in the first, and 9 to 4 in the second game.

Baltimore .....033 000 010—7 13 0
Pittsburg .....000 000 000—0 11 3
Suggs and Russell; Knetzer, Leclair and Berry.

Second game:
Baltimore .....200 111 040—9 17 1
Pittsburg .....002 010 010—4 6 5
Smith and Jacklitsch; Adams, Dickson and Roberts.

CHICAGO STRENGTHENED HOLD ON SECOND.

Defeated Indianapolis Yesterday Five to Two.

Indianapolis, July 3.—Chicago took a firmer grip on first place today by defeating Indianapolis 5 to 2.

Chicago .....010 002 020—5 11 1
Indianapolis ....000 000 020—2 7 1
Lange and Wilson; Mullin and Rariden.

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chattanooga	43	33	.566
Mobile	44	34	.564
Birmingham	41	34	.547
New Orleans	40	35	.533
Atlanta	38	34	.528
Nashville	39	38	.506
Memphis	32	44	.421
Montgomery	28	51	.354

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charleston	9	4	.692
Albany	8	5	.615
Columbus	7	6	.538
Columbia	7	6	.538
Augusta	6	7	.462
Savannah	6	7	.462
Macon	5	8	.385
Jacksonville	4	9	.308

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Norfolk	44	22	.667
Richmond	38	25	.603
Newport News	39	28	.582
Roanoke	32	36	.471
Petersburg	23	40	.365
Portsmouth	22	47	.319

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Charlotte	37	24	.607
Durham	36	24	.600
Winston-Salem	32	26	.552
Raleigh	27	32	.458
Asheville	24	37	.393
Greensboro	22	36	.379

VIRGINIA DIVIDES SEASON.

Newport News, Va., July 3.—Directors of the Virginia League today reconsidered their action of last night and voted to divide the season of 1914 in half. The second half of the season began with the games played yesterday, but all games played until August 1st also will apply on the team standing for the first half of the season. The winners of the two half seasons will play for the pennant the week of September 14th.

Spend a pleasant Sunday at Southport (five hours lay-over.) Steamer Wilmington leaves 9 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. (advertisement.)

COVELESKIE

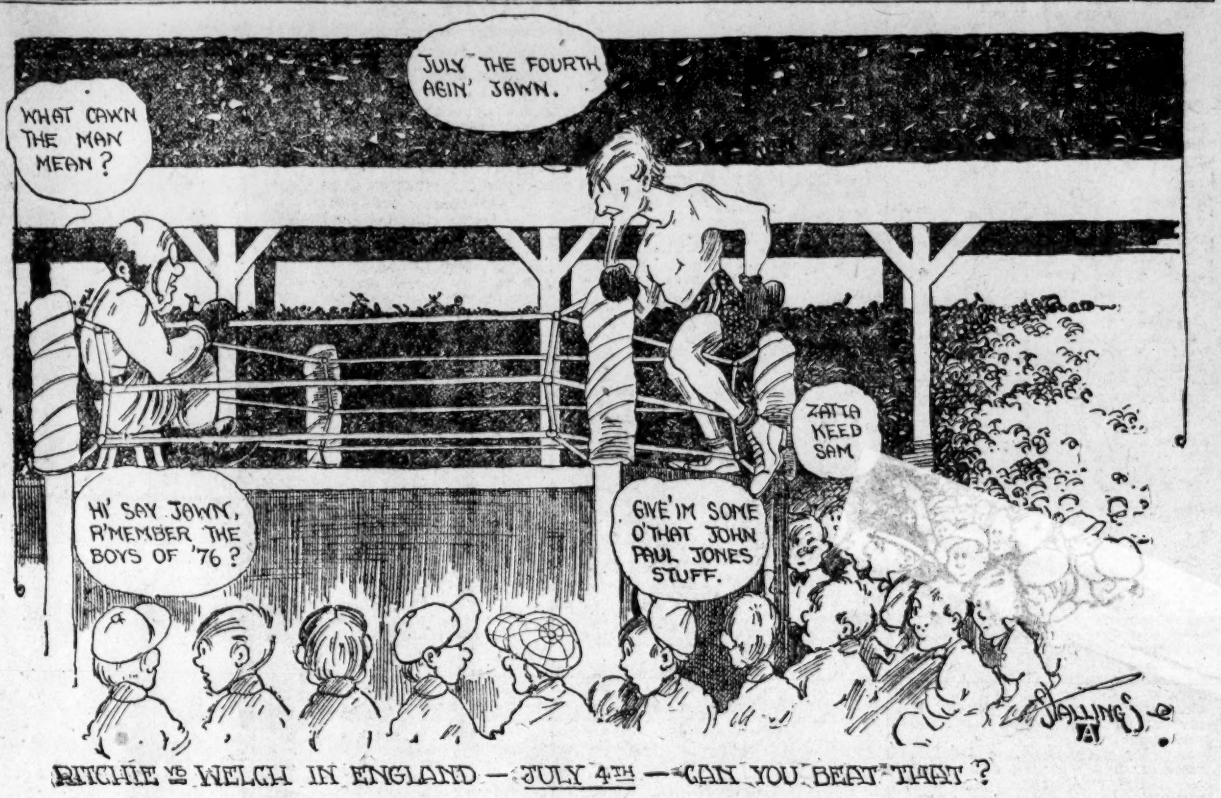
Red McGhee says:

Left handers as a rule are wild, untamed an' mighty easy riled in any sort of game. An' when they're pitchers—suff'rn' cats they're usuallly like floppin' bats a-buzzin' 'round a flame. For shootin' 'round 'tween low an' high let's lamp this Coveleskie guy—a specimen that's rare. He's played the up-and-down game strong an' kept 'em guessin' right along. At see-saw he's king bear.

Some years ago the long-geared Pole had Muggsy's Giants in the hole an' robbed 'em of a flag. He set the baseball world ablaze an' then blew up a million ways just like a paper bag. He in-an'-outed se'ral years an' now this year again appears in big league company. A slant at Jennings' box payroll shows Covey—same ol'southpaw Pole who brought the Phil fans glee.

They claim his comeback's really real, his arm'll last as long as steel an' he ain't wild no more. If all those windy touts are true the things the string had ought to do won't make Detroit fans sore. I'm pullin' for the lanky boy—the more he wins the more my joy. I've praised him in the past. But he can pitch his ol' head off an' still some almost fans'll scoff: "How long dya think he'll last?"

IN BOYVILLE — By Stallings


WHAT CAIN THE MAN MEAN?
JULY THE FOURTH AGIN' JAWN.
HI' SAY JAWN, R'MEMBER THE BOYS OF '76?
ZATTA KEED SAM
GIVE 'IM SOME O'THAT JOHN PAUL JONES STUFF.
STALLINGS

RITCHIE VS WELCH IN ENGLAND — JULY 4TH — CAN YOU BEAT THAT?

GRAND CHALLENGE CUP COMES TO AMERICA

Eight-Oared Crews Fight Today for Its Possession

These Being Union Boat Club of Boston, and Harvard Second Crew —Won in Semi-finals Yesterday.

Henley-on-Thames, July 3.—The coveted grand challenge cup comes to the United States.

Two American eight-oared crews—the Union Boat Club of Boston, and the Harvard University second crew—were left to fight tomorrow for its possession by victories today in the semi-final heats over Mayence and Winnipeg, respectively.

Both were most exciting races rowed in almost record time and won only after a hard struggle near the finishing line in each instance.

The race between Harvard and Winnipeg was rowed in the best time recorded at this year's regatta—seven minutes flat.

Winnipeg gained a slight lead at the start. At the half-mile the boats were even but at the mile Harvard's crew was leading by three-quarters of a length. They retained their advantage to the end although the Canadians made a last great effort to overhaul them.

On crossing the line Harvard seemed perfectly fresh, but Winnipeg was only able to raise a feeble reply to Harvard's cheer.

When the second semi-final started between the Union Boat Club of Boston, and the Mayence Rowing Club of Germany, excitement was tense. The American spectators, stirred to enthusiasm by Harvard's victory, cheered the Bostonians as they left for the starting line.

Boston took the lead at once and was leading a quarter of a length at the quarter mile. The Germans then began rowing faster but Boston appeared to have taken their measure.

At the half-mile Boston was leading by half a length and was still a quarter length in front at the mile, where the Germans spurted, but could not make any impression.

Another magnificent effort by the Germans in passing the grandstand brought them closer together, but the Bostonians shot over the line a trifle in the lead. Their time was seven minutes flat.

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

North Carolina League.
At Greensboro 0; Winston 5.
2nd: Greensboro 6; Winston 1.
At Durham 8; Raleigh 1.
At Asheville 2; Charlotte 3.

Virginia League.
At Portsmouth 4; Norfolk 0.
At Richmond 2; Petersburg 3.
At Newport News 3; Roanoke 1.

Southern League.
At Chattanooga 1; Mobile 3.
At Memphis 5; Montgomery 8.
At Birmingham 3; Nashville 6.
At Atlanta 5; New Orleans 5; (8 innings, darkness.)

South Atlantic League.
At Charleston 5; Macon 0.
At Columbia 2; Columbus 1.

International League.
At Buffalo 5; Toronto 1.
At Rochester 5; Montreal 0.
At Newark 3; Providence 2.
Only three games scheduled.

American Association.
At St. Paul 3; Minneapolis 7.
At Kansas City 2; Milwaukee 8.
At Cleveland 2; Indianapolis 16.
At Louisville 4; Columbus 16.

GAME AT SUNSET THIS MORNING.

This morning at 10:30 o'clock, the game will be called at Sunset Park between a picked team from the City League and the Independent League, the two sorng leagues of the city, and will play a game of baseball that promises to be one of the hardest fought of the season.

The City League styles itself "Organized Baseball" while the Independents have been dubbed "The Federals," so today's game promises to be a fight to the finish for such honors as might come from a victory for either side. Another feature of the game is the fact that all married men will compose one team, while the other will be composed of those who are single.

The game will begin promptly at 10:30, and a big crowd is expected to be on hand. Admission will be 15 cents to men, and ladies free.

THEATRICAL

With the holiday spirit bubbling all over it and feeling frisky, the popular Grand Theatre will today celebrate the Glorious Fourth in most glorious way. It wants all of its friends to enjoy the huge occasion with it. Hence the Grand has prepared a royal holiday bill for today and although the show cost extra money, being a gala one, the price of admission will not be advanced. It is customary with most theatres to raise the price on holidays, but not so with the Grand. It holds to the same old tiny price of admission—5 cents—but increases its show.

Pathe's wonderful, mammoth, two-part film, "The Strength of the Weak," will blaze the way today, and it will really be a blaze of glory. It is a story of a foreign country, with intrigues that bring about thrilling adventure. It is a great spectacular offering, one of the most hair-raising ever flashed on the giant Grand screen.

Real Indian stories are always fascinating, and today the Vitagraph presents "The Sea Gull," which has been pronounced the most remarkable tale of the Redskins ever created. It is a thrill a second and the scenery is magnificent. The cast to be seen is headed by the famous Myrtle Gonzales, with Alfred D. Vosburgh appearing as "The Panther," Beatrice Dominguez as "Red Fox", and Charles Lugo as "The Raven." It is a starter.

The Biograph also offers a sensation today in "Her Mother's Weakness," another great, intense dramatic.

At the Bijou.

The week-end bill at the popular photoplay house will be headed by a mammoth two-part dramatic feature film, "A Singular Cynic." This is a brand new release, scarcely a week old, and will be shown in Wilmington right from the big cities. Wilmington is now getting newer pictures than ever before have been shown in the city, owing to the progressive management of the Bijou, who have signed up for the very newest pictures only, discarding those which which have been all round the country, and which may be bought for a mere song.

"A Singular Cynic" is one of the strongest dramatic pictures of the times, and as adapted to the movies, leaves nothing undone, and its settings, cast and surroundings in general make it one of the very strongest pictures of the dramatic kind seen in a long time.

"The Animated Weekly, No. 119," contains a varied assortment of big events taken in all parts of the world. Included is "Trying Out the Cup Defenders," "Royalty Visits London," "Rockefeller Held Up," "Cleaning Up Vera Cruz," "Training Cornell's Crew," and many others, including the cartoons and fashion section.

"A Flurry in Rats" is a brand new rousing comedy number that will be appreciated to the fullest, since it deals with a subject familiar to everyone.

Spend Sunday at popular Carolina Beach. Str. Wilmington leaves 9:00 2:30 and 7:30. (advertisement.)

GENERAL OBSERVANCE OF GLORIOUS FOURTH

Local Celebration Will be "Safe and Sane."

Business in City Will be at Standstill and Hundreds Will Spend the Day at the Nearby Seaside Resorts.

In accordance with the usual custom here a 'safe and sane" observance of the Glorious Fourth will be the order of today in Wilmington and at the neighboring seaside resorts, where most of the celebration features will be staged. In the city business will be practically at a standstill, and those who remain in town will do so for the opportunity of spending the day quietly and restfully.

Indications are that Wrightsville and Carolina beaches and the other recreation spots and resorts will draw their usual large Fourth of July crowds, and, in fact, the attendance at Wrightsville and Carolina beaches is expected to surpass the records of previous years, for at both resorts elaborate preparations have been made for the entertainment of the visitors.

Banks, stores, offices, shops and factories in the city will be closed generally and the employes allowed a day's vacation. Some few of the stores in the city will probably remain open for part of the day, and perhaps one or two all day, but the business men generally will close up for the occasion.

The public offices at the court house and city hall will be closed, there will be no Recorder's court, and at the United States government building and the customs house, the clerks and employes will be given a holiday. The postoffice will also observe the Fourth, though one delivery and collection of mail will be made by the carriers during the morning, and the general delivery window will be open from 7 to 8 P. M.

At Wrightsville Beach.

The annual athletic events at Wrightsville Beach will be a feature of the celebration of the Fourth there and will furnish means of entertainment for the thousands who will go down from the city, as well as the many "outside visitors" stopping at the hotels and cottages on the island.

The contests start at 11 o'clock this morning with a 100-yard dash, 50-yard dashes, 220-yard dashes, broad jump, sack races, girls' flag race, potato races, swimming races, canoe races, etc. More than 70 entries have been made for the different events, and all will be warmly contested. All the entrants are required to have weight certificates from Mr. J. P. Seitters, the physical director at the Y. M. C. A., as most of the events are divided into two classes, according to weight.

The officials for the athletic contests will be Messrs J. B. Huntington, referee; J. P. Seitters, marshall; D. Frank Holloway and R. S. McClellan, judges; W. Fowler Morrison, starter.

In addition to the athletic events at Lumina, there will also be music and dancing for the entertainment of the crowds during the morning, afternoon and evening, and the open air moving picture exhibition over the waves in front of the pavilion during the evening.

Also, an open race over the course of the Carolina Yacht Club during the afternoon will furnish diversion for many spectators. This is the first open race of the season, and is for the club trophy cup.

Surf bathing, fishing, boating and other acquatic sports will occupy the attention of many who will spend the day at the beach

At Carolina Beach.

Arrangements have been made at Carolina Beach also, for a "safe and sane" celebration, and doubtless large numbers of people will spend their holiday there. There will be music and dancing all day in the pavilion, and the best of service will be given by the steamer Wilmington, there being three boats during the day: 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. Special arrangements will be made for those who wish to go down and spend the day in family picnic style.

Corn Club Boys.

As announced several days ago in the Raleigh dispatches to the Star, Governor Craig has commissioned about 350 North Carolina boys representing every county in the State to attend the convention of the Boys' Corn Clubs at the Panama Exposition at San Francisco. A special effort will be made to have large representation of the boys from this county, the delegates being Clarence Dempsey, Thos. O. Murray, Melzer Johnson and Stancey McGowan.

Today at Hopkins' Front Street Market you will find Ahrens' Farm chickens. We make a specialty of these chickens. Also the Catawba Gem brand butter and eggs. This brand is growing in popularity every day right here in Wilmington. The butter has a delicious flavor that "bread and butter" kind. The eggs are packed one dozen in a carton and each egg numbered. Watch these numbers. We guarantee every egg.

For fireworks, go to Rehder's Big Toy Store today. (advertisement.)

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And they asked me how I did it, and
I gave 'em the Scripture text,
"You keep your light so shining a
Little in front o' the next!"
They copied all they could follow,
But they couldn't copy my mind,
And I left 'em sweating and stealing
A year and a half behind.
—Kipling.

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SCIENTIFIC DIAGNOSIS URGED BY DR. TUCKER

Before N. C. Osteopathic Society in Annual Session.

More Than 1,000 Members of N. C. National Guard Have Taken Typhoid Treatment—Crops Are Fine.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 3.—The North Carolina Osteopathic Society in annual session here today heard the address of the president, Dr. A. R. Tucker, of Raleigh, who appealed for particular attention by the members of the profession to scientific diagnosis of all cases coming to them for treatment and for untiring effort in equipping themselves for their work along the lines of scientific professional service, with special attention to the use of the microscope in all diagnoses in which this instrument has special place. He urged the necessity of practitioners attending the meetings of the society and taking part in the scientific and general professional demonstrations and discussions.

There were a number of technical papers and demonstrations of special interest to the profession, these being by Dr. E. J. Carson, Fayetteville; Dr. R. H. Prindle, Henderson; Dr. W. H. Glasscock, Raleigh; Dr. C J. Alexander, Winston-Salem; Dr. H. F. Ray, Charlotte, and Dr. A. H. Yearby, Goldsboro.

Over 1,000 Take Typhoid Vaccine.

Adjutant General Young, of the North Carolina National Guard, says that more than one thousand men of the Guard have taken the typhoid vaccine and that there are increasingly frequent calls for it from those companies that have not already taken this treatment for becoming immune to the dread typhoid germ. The War Department is supplying this vaccine through the adjutant general's department without charge. Numbers of the companies have taken the treatment and individuals in practically all the others have. Companies immuned as a whole are Waynesville, Gastonia, Greensboro, Raleigh, Oxford, Warrenton, Franklinton, Hickory, Statesville, Lexington, Reidsville, Troop A cavalry and the Medical Corps. Also a company supply was sent today for the Raeford company. Wherever wanted the department details a surgeon to administer the vaccine.

Crops "the Finest Ever."

Col. J. P. Kerr, private secretary to Governor Craig, just back from Hyde county, says that in all his travels through Eastern Carolina for a number of years past he has never seen such promising crops as are in evidence all the way from Raleigh to Mattamuskeet. Cotton, corn, tobacco and all the other crops are really "the finest ever" is the way he enthusiastically puts it.

Impressions Received At Press Convention

The following paragraphs are excerpts from editorial correspondence in the Laurinburg Exchange, written by Editor Trelyon Browne while at Wrightsville Beach, under date of June 27:

"Tar Heel newspaper folks have had the time of their lives this week at the annual meeting of the North Carolina Press Association, held in the Oceanic Hotel here by the seaside. Wilmington, Wrightsville and Southport citizens laid themselves out to give the visiting scribes an enjoyable holiday, and veteran members declare this to have been the most delightful meeting in the association's history. Not a dull moment—nor a dry one, if they so elected—crept into the editors' time.

"The social features of the gathering were numerous and replete with pleasure: Dutch supper at The Oceanic Wednesday night and automobile ride Thursday afternoon, both given by citizens of Wilmington; souvenir dance at Lumina Thursday night by the Tidewater Power Company, and a trip down the Cape Fear river to Southport, Fort Caswell and the U. S. quarantine station on Friday under direction of Capt. John W. Harper on his steamer, "the Wilmington," with a bountiful, substantial and delicious dinner tendered by the citizens of Southport and served by the ladies of that delightful old town. Of this river trip more may be said at another time, for it merits more space than can be given it in this letter.

"To one and all of our entertainers very extensive and comprehensive thanks are due their unremitting attention from first to last, but we feel like making a bow of special acknowledgment to our old-time yokemates, Wm. E. Lawson, of The Dispatch, and Hazel R. Aiken, of The Star, whose constant courtesies contributed so largely to the pleasure of "devil" and editor on this seaside outing. They are fine fellows and are doing fine work in Wilmington."

VISIT TO SOUTHPORT.

The Southport News, Mr. G. E. Clarke, managing editor, in an editorial on the editors' visit to the capital of Brunswick, has this to say:

"The North Carolina Press Association, during its 40-odd years of organization, the yearly meetings have taken its members into every important section, and with the additional excursions which have been a part of each annual meeting, the North Carolina editor has not only gained a thorough knowledge of his State, geographically, but has its every commercial, industrial and social characteristic firmly impressed upon his mind.

"Therefore, the North Carolina editor can speak and write of his State authoritatively. His boast of the State's immense natural resources, its tremendous possibilities of development, however high sounding they may appear, have a sound basis of fact. In telling of North Carolina, materially, it may be in superlatives, but their use is not one of exaggeration, nor of vain boastings.

"The annual meeting of the State Press at Wrightsville Beach last week, was opportune from a practical viewpoint, in that it afforded the chance for editors not to just see Southport, which many have done before last week's visit, was one by which Southport was presented impressively, a tremendous element of force to develop in order to bring to successful accomplishment certain industrial and trade needs in North Carolina, which turn upon the State's having in operation a great seaport as is found at Southport.

"The News has before written on the importance of this prospective coming of the State Press to Southport. The visit was made under most favorable conditions. The State's great harbor was viewed not merely from its esthetic side, though this appealed strongly, but also was the physical side, in its unlimited potentialities for State-wide trade expansion and increased industrial development firmly impressed upon each editor's mind. The thought, introspective, 'the fleets of the world', coming in and passing out, with great cargoes from foreign ports, that would be quickly carried to interior towns and cities, and still greater cargoes of North Carolina products, raw and manufactured, going forth to countries across the seas. And this is no vain dream of the editors. The fact of this natural harbor is now a matter of personal knowledge to those editors who were guests here on June 26th. And in addition must come the inspiring and patriotic consciousness that this is their harbor, because it is a part of the State of North Carolina, which claims their allegience and aid in all that may promote her interests!"

WHY THE BEST MEETING.

The following is an excerpt from a half column editorial in the current issue of the Wadesboro Ansonian, whose editor, Mr. W. Clyde Bivens, attended the Press Convention last week:

"The meeting of the North Carolina Press Association at Wrightsville Beach last week is conceded to have been the most enjoyable and the most profitable of any of the previous meetings. This was largely on account of the meeting place, the large attendance, and the evident intention of the newspaper men to take some definite stand on matters of private and public interest. The hospitality of the Wilmington people was unbounded and will be gratefully remembered. Let us not forget also that enjoyable trip down the Old Cape Fear, when the editors were the guests of Captain Harper on his steamer, The Wilmington. This trip included a visit to Fort Caswell, the Government Quarantine Station, and the charming little town of Southport. At the latter place the party was dined by the Commercial Club of the town and gently reminded by Mr. Taylor of the necessity of making Southport a coaling station for Uncle Sam's ships. This will mean much for North Carolina and may result in better freight rates for the people of the State."

"IKE" HAD A BIG TIME.

Brother "Ike" London's Siler City Grit was very much crowded and space was at a great premium, so there was no chance for an extended write-up of the trip to Wilmington and the Press Convention, but the young editor, always equal to any and all occasions, packed much into a paragraph, and here it is:

"The editor spent several delightful days at Wrightville last week attending the annual meeting of the State Press Association. The creature comforts provided, and the all-round hospitality extended, by the good people of the sea city were thoroughly enjoyed, and did space permit we would like to give an extended account of the pleasures afforded; of the attractiveness of Lumina; of the helpful discussions of the brethren of the Press; of our surprise over the fact that the ocean had not been affected seriously by the recent drought; and of the many social incidents that combined to make the stay on the beach just one thing after another—but our space this week is limited by the publication of the annual financial statement of the town of Siler City and by the amount of space devoted to the Fourth of July celebration. At any rate, the session was one of unalloyed pleasure and The Grit can always be counted on as being present at every meeting of the Association."

Put Liquor Question To House For Vote

Congressman ADOLPH J. SABATH

Washington, July1.—Congressman Adolph J. Sabath, Democrat, of Illinois, is chairman of the committee on alcholic liquor traffic. This is the committee that reported the national prohibition bill to the house without recommendation, putting the ticklish matter up to the congressmen as a whole to go on record on the subject The house was to have taken a vote on the question on July 1, but this has been put off till August, and it is probable, many say, that it will not come up at all this session. The congressmen, as a whole, are not over anxious to go on record on the prohibition question.

Today at Lumina.

Athletic contests start 11 A. M. Music, dancing, surf bathing. Exhibition dancing and moving pictures at night. (advertisement.)

A SUMMER APPETIZER

Horsford's Acid Phosphate

A teaspoonful in a glass of water stimulates appetite and quenches thirst (advertisement.)

NINE MEN ARRESTED IN COLUMBUS COUNTY

Two Whites and Seven Negroes Are Captured.

White Men Are Charged With Distilling and the Negroes With Retailing—Whites Give Bond.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., July 3.—Seven negroes, all employes of the Butters Lumber Company at Boardman, are in jail here, having been brought here early this morning by Deputy Sheriff Gaston Best on charges of retailing; and Dawson Sasser and Streety Carroll, two white men, are under arrest charged with distilling that famous product of Columbus county, better known as "monkey rum."

The two white men were arrested late yesterday afternoon in the Cypress Creek section of Lee's township by Constables Albert Sasser and G. W. Wayne, who have recently made themselves famous for their "tiger" unravelings, and were immediately brought to Whiteville together with a five-gallon still, of rather crude construction, and which might not ordinarily be taken for a whiskey still had it not been for the distinctive odor it gave forth, the unmistakable "rum" sign.

The seven negroes, who were caught by Deputy Sheriff Gaston Best and Constables Lem Benton and Hortie Yates, are John Leggett, Robert Melvin, Johnson George, Fred Hemingway, James Monroe, Sam Ganus and Claude Walker, who, each for himself, stoutly maintains his innocence. They are charged with retailing unlabeled beer and whiskey, and their supposed place of activity was in the colored "Hall" at Boardman, in connection with which the negro Sam Ganus operates a cool drink stand for the benefit of members of his race.

The two white men, Sasser and Carroll, are held under a $250 justified bond, but neither of the negroes had made bond this morning. Ganus, one of the seven, is said to be a respectable negro, and is generally regarded as a leader of his race in his community.

Church Directory

St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor—Sabbath services: Sabbath school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. Combined Christian Endeavor and preachng service at 8 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. A cordial invitation to all.

Pearsall Memorial Presbyterian church, East Wilmington, Rev. H. W. Koelling, pastor—Sabbath school at 10:30 A. M. Preaching at 11:15 A. M. Christian Endeavor at 7:30 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

Harnett Street mission, Eighth and Harnett streets, Rev. W. M. Baker, evangelist in charge: Sabbath school 9:30 A .M. Preaching each second and fourth Sabbath evenings at 8 o'clock.

St. Paul's Episcopal church, 16th and Market streets, Sunday, July 5.—Sunday school 9:45 A. M., Mr. R. E. Tapp, superintendent. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 A. M., by Rev. E. deF. Heald, Washington, D. C.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. John M. Wells, D. D., pastor—Service on Sunday at 11 A. M. No evening service. Sermon at 11 A. M. by Dr. Wells. Sunday school 9:50 A. M. Christian Endeavor 8:15 P. M. prayer meeting 8 P. M. Wednesday. All are cordially invited. Notice that the 6 P. M. service is omitted until further notice.

Winter Park Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor—Services tomorrow, Sunday, at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 9:50 A. M. The regular monthly meeting of the Helping Hand Society will be held on Monday at 4 P. M., and will be followed by a social. The Ladies' Society will meet on Tuesday at 4 P. M. at the residence of the pastor, 1918 Market street. Visitors are cordially invited to all of these services.

Delgado Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor—Services Sunday at 7:45 P. M. Sunday school at 10:15 A. M. Visitors are cordially invited to all services.

Immanuel Presbyterian church, Sunday school 10 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M., Rev. J. S. Crowley, the pastor, will preach at South Wilmington school house tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock.

There will be mass every Sunday at the Catholic church, "Star of the Sea," by Rev. C. Dennen, rector, The Star is requested t oannounce.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The public library will be closed today on account of the holiday.

—Suit was started in the Recorder's court yesterday by Phillips Buttorff Manufacturing Company against Mercer & Williams, Kenan & Stacy represent the plaintiff.

—On accoupnt of legal holiday the freight warehouses of the Atlantic Coast Line and Seaboard Air Line will be closed today except for the delivery of perishable freight between 9 and 10 A. M.

—The Star is requested to announce that the "Floating Christian Endeavor Society" will hold service aboard the steamer George Pyman at 10 A. M., tomorrow. Members and friends are invited to come and enjoy these services among the seamen.

—Mr. J. H. Kuck, proprietor of the Kuck Knitting Mills in the southern part of the city, has arranged for a delightful outing for the 39 girl operatives of his enterprise. They will be taken for a complimentary visit to the seaside resorts and other places of amusement as the guest of the company.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: Geo. Honnet and J. H. Honnet to Chas. F. Green, for $100 and other considerations, lot on north line of Market street, 60 feet east of Front street, 15x60 feet in size; Thos. E. Cooper, trustee, to T. E. Brown, for $100 and other considerations, lot No. 7, in block G, Seaforth; Winter Park Gardens Company to Robert W. Pigford, for $10 and other considerations, lot No. 12, Winter Park Gardens.

We will thank our customers to make their purchases today before 12 o'clock, noon, as our store will be closed the afternoon and evening in celebration of the Glorious Fourth.

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100 yard dash . . . . . (110 to 135 lbs.)	Girls' Flag Race . . . . (12 years and over)
100 yard dash . . . . . (Over 135 lbs.)	Potato Race . . . . . (Under 110 lbs.)
Broad Jump . . . . . (Under 110 lbs.)	Potato Race . . . . . (110 lbs. and over)
Broad Jump . . . . . (110 lbs. and over)	Swimming Race . . . . . (Under 110 lbs.)
Sack Race . . . . . (Under 110 lbs.)	Swimming Race . . . . (110 lbs. and over)
Sack Race . . . . . (110 lbs. and over)	220 yard Dash . . . . . (Open to All)
Canoe Race . . . . . (Open to All)	

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Saturday, July 4, 1914.

Some men act discreetly by refusing to talk, but bedad, they sooner or later sit down and write.

Mount Lassen is having an eruption because it cannot help itself, but Colonel Roosevelt is having his in order to help himself.

In the United States if a man is disloyal to the government he growls about it for four years and then gets a chance to vote against it.

If we had been President once we'd think it would be a good idea not to exasperate the people by keeping on wanting to be President.

It's hardly worth while to be in a hurry about believing a man is as wise as he appears to be. It's safer to wait till we find him out.

Even National conventions don't prove satisfactory all the time. Ask Colonel Roosevelt about the thieving Republican National convention held in Chicago in 1912.

The bright girl graduate of a Buffalo college whose graduating theme was "The Land We Love," has married a farmer and is helping to love the land they have.

It is said that Villa had no opportunities when he was a boy. Probably that is the reason he does not miss any now when he catches up with a fellow who has the cash.

Jack Johnson having played all around the other "white hopes", a new one named Coffey has challenged the black slugger. It's to be hoped Coffey has strong grounds upon which to base his hope.

Today is the Fourth of July and we propose to celebrate it in a safe and sane manner by keeping away from everybody who is liable to do something that will get an innocent bystander's goat.

Some explorer has recklessly stated that he has been 2,000 miles further up the River of Doubt than Colonel Roosevelt. If he is called a liar and fake, it will sound like there is a great deal of truth in it.

A Wilmington man confesses that he does not antagonize prohibition but he thinks a little hard of it for taking it for granted that men can be forcibly weaned off from the ice cold product of a reputable brewery.

Owing to the fact that Santo Domingo is not bigger than a minute she had better settle herself before we intervene and stake off all her coffee plantations as our share of the trouble. We are not going to have any large amount of patience with a little old thing like that.

Senator Root, of New York, has announced that he will not again be a candidate for Senator. When a man knows when he has had enough of a good thing it will prevent other aspirants from going to a lot of trouble to ruin his reputation and make out like he has never been a thing but a great big bump on a log.

A New Orleans jury awarded a man $250 damages against the city for a sprained ankle. Besides the injury, he alleged a painful amount of mental anguish because it kept him from dancing for a whole year. In New Orleans, of course, that counts with a court, otherwise the verdict would have been something like 30 cents.

The Norfolk Virginian Pilot says: "A Philadelphia judge rules that a chauffeur has no right to run down a pedestrian at a street corner." The decision is in favor of a pedestrian and all chauffeurs should take notice that one place where the pedestrian has the right of way is a "rubber neckery. That's what a street corner in Wilmington is called by a female of the sepcies.

First came interference in Mexico, next comes intervention, and then the next thing is something else. How long will it take Mexicans to get enough of intervention? How long would we have to keep a standing army in Mexico to keep them from forgetting all about intervention? After our withdrawal, how long will they remember why we intervened?

THE HARVEST OF DRAGON'S TEETH.

The South Carolinians have permitted themselves to be divided into two hostile camps, each mistrusting the other as they would an opposition party. They haven't divided on politics. They are divided over aspiring or imposing personalities and distinctive cliques, and they line up on the individual and with the clique. The majority clique carries the day and the cliquesters who get the nomination get the party votes at the general election.

A nomination in South Carolina is equivalent to an election. However, not all the Democrats, not even a majority of them, vote in the primaries, nor at the general election. The disgusted and dissatisfied elements remain away from the polls on election day. There is no opposition ticket, hence they can't vote against the party nominees. Even if there were opposition, the whites know that any division in their ranks would make the negro the balance of power. Under conditions like that, there is nothing to do but vote for the clique nominees or remain at home with the sulks.

Senator Tillman deplores the present situation in South Carolina like that, but the present condition certainly had its origin and it is not difficult to trace it back to 1886 and 1888 or thereabouts. Somebody along about that time set the people by the ears, and it was Senator Tillman who started it. He called it the "reform" movement, although there really wasn't much to reform except more or less alleged bourbonism. Leader Tillman called it the "oligarchy", and he took the wool hat boys and went after it.

The then Captain Tillman was some campaigner. He loved to lay his tongue to things, and he did it with telling effect. He surely was some campaigner, no doubt about that, and when he got an opponent before him he never had the slightest compunction about breaking it off in him, whether he deserved it or not. He had no regard for any man's sensibilities. He gave no quarter, and it is not on record that he ever asked any. He didn't need any quarter in his business.

That is how he attached to himself the soubriquet of "Pitchfork Ben," He possessed a rapid-fire tongue and with it he hurled projectile that were jagged all over. The Chesterfieldian style of discussing questions did not appeal to him. His was the pitchfork, meat axe, black jack article, and when he went after any fellow's scalp he came back with it clutched in both hands. A Chesterfield, like the able, suave, pussy-footed Judge Earle, had no showing when there wasn't any argument but just "throwing rocks." The pitch forker downed all comers, because they tried to put up arguments and tender-foot it along the lines of least resistance. Cap'n Tillman believed in making the line of resistance rocky and rough, and it didn't make any difference how able an opponent was, the Captain went after him first and got him on all four or five prongs of his pitchfork. Naturally that would end all the argument.

If there was anything that the wool hat boys loved it was to see their "noble leader" mopping up the earth with a fellow wearing a jimswinger coat, a pair of white cuffs, a starched collar and a nice cravat. They even wanted to lend their personal assistance, and "the speaker of the day" could always rely on them at any time to "howl down" anybody who tried to "bamboozle" them with anything like an argument. Indeed, if any bamboozler kept on trying to argue, they made it a fight and climbed on the speaker's stand to stop the argument.

Well, what of all this? Why, it was "refawm". It was a new era of politics. It was red hot campaigning. It was an appeal to the prejudices and passions of a class of the people. That is all there was to it, except the logical afterclap. It has grown on South Carolina for more than 25 years. Kids have grown to manhood in that atmosphere and element. Babes born have grown to manhood, imbibing Tillmanism. The Captain has had his imitators in aspiring younger 18ers, and though some of them have "got a miserable botch of it, they know the school of politics in which they learned to be wild and woolly.

In the latter days we have the aging, grave and reverend Senator Tillman deploring Bleaseism. He says Blease nauseates him and he is now pitchforking the peppery clique leader who goes up in the air and loops the loop and cuts the buck without an equilibrator. Blease learned his pitchfork trade during the years of Tillmanism, and as much as the Senator may hate it, Bleaseism is Tillmanism gone to seed. The Senator may be nauseated with the harvest, but when a man "starts something" and others with sawed-off ability try to follow in his footsteps and keep it up, the worst comes to the worst.

There is a lesson to be learned from this. Any State can soon get in just the condition that prevails in South Carolina. Extremists are responsible and the people are to blame for following the extremists. The extremist sows his seed in dangerous ground when he appeals to one class and arrays it against another. Appeal to prejudice, passion and ignorance is but sowing for a harvest of dragon's teeth.

In order to find out how Vice President Marshall stands on woman suffrage, Mrs. Marshall will have to be consulted. Whatever she says makes it unanimous.

HEED NOT THE OPPOSITION.

We have a deaf ear turned to the calamity howlers, and if we had a dozen they would be turned right straight in that direction. Calamity howlers are Republicans and other kinds of enemies to the militant Democracy, and for that reason we would not trust a calamity howler further than we could throw a fit. It is always a good idea not to pay a bit of attention to people who are on the outside trying to get in and put us out. Let the heathen rage and imagine a vain thing, but let them understand that we know what all their noise is about.

There is no need of getting mad at Republicans. They are trying to do the best they can, but it does look a little queer that they want the country to follow them when they are going in two opposite directions, one crowd calling themselves "regulars" and the other "Progressives." The reason they split asunder is that they could not stand for each other. They were together so long they found each other out, and yet they are making a noise like people do not know why they dissolved co-partnership.

The Republican party was in power fifty years or more and the country finally turned it out because the country went from bad to worse. So did the Republican party, for Colonel Roosevelt took part of it after the split and it hasn't been a week since he said the other part was a "set of thieves." We would not like to say that about them, but Colonel Roosevelt thinks he knows, for he was with them and got everything that was coming to him while there was harmony in the ranks.

Now that the Republicans are abusing Democrats, we can't blame them, but it goes in one ear and out the other, for we know them. However, they are impotent so far, but they have a right to try to make people believe that from two to four years is long enough for the Democrats to try to run the government. They are paying us back in our own coin in saying that our party won't do.

For that matter, the Democratic party kept right after the Republicans for fifty years. The old Democrats kept it up and raised up young Democrats to finish the job. Meanwhile, the Democrats said the Republicans were sapping the foundations of the Republic, ruining the country, running it for privilege, and squeezing the life out of Colonel Bryan's "average man." What, therefore, can be expected of them, but that they should charge that we are about to ruin business and won't have 30 cents in the treasury by the time they get into power again?

Heed them not. Business does not depend upon them. They let it go to smash in 1907, and several other times besides, so when they pretend that business depends upon them, it is all a mistake. It is the kind of chronic noise they make to keep the Democrats from making good. Inasmuch as it will take several terms to get the full benefit of Democratic administration, the people are going to give them the chance.

SLOPPING OPPORTUNITIES.

The Raleigh correspondence in yesterday's Star stated that the State Corporation Commission is again having trouble with the railroads about inter-State freight rates into North Carolina. They are too high, and especially on those products which we get from the West. One of our special grievances is about the rate on corn for "milling in transit," whereas we ought to mill our own corn, or rather grow the corn we mill. It would be a good idea for North Carolina to raise her own corn and see to it that the railroads do not have any corn hauling to do into North Carolina.

We ought to be asking them for rates on corn shipments out of North Carolina, but instead of that the fact that we do not raise our own corn is giving the railroads an opportunity to make money on corn by hauling it to us from the West. Growing corn is one of those opportunities that Bion H. Butler says is slopping over in North Carolina.

There are others, but the corn-growing opportunity is up for discussion today. We have a market for corn right here among ourselves and we are not only letting the West supply it but we are drawing on South America for corn. The Star's Southport correspondent said in yesterday's paper that two large steamers are bound for Southport with two huge cargoes of corn from Argentina. It is a little singular that Southport should do her first commerce as an importer instead of as an exporter.

Our Southport correspondent remarked that "the mercantile effect of this corn upon this section will be awaited with a good deal of curiosity." The immediate effect will be that the community will have some corn which it would not have for the reason that we do not raise enough corn to supply our demand. We have to get it from Argentina or get it from the West, unless the railroads give us better corn rates so they can get the business instead of letting it go to the steamships coming from South America.

We can produce our own corn if we will, and our quarrel with the railroads about freight rates on corn, and our speculation about the effect of corn importations from Argentina but show us the necessity of doing so. The necessity points us to that one opportunity that we neglect.

When a man neglects his duty it is apt to dust by

The Richmond Virginian inquires: "Does a fly sleep?" It may do so but the time it picks out to keep awake is the time when it sees to it that nobody else shall sleep if it can help it. Some flies are put to sleep by bald headed men, but it takes about a hundred rounds and a lot of profanity to make the fight a draw.

In order to find out what candidate a convention favors the delegates decide by ballot. If delegates to a convention have that privilege, the people are entitled to as much privilege as delegates who probably are none of their choosing and yet nominate candidates for the people. We never saw a canvention which was superior to the people.

In order to wear a Palm Beach suit with satisfaction, don't be a fat man with a disposition to leak.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The North Carolina Press Association can boast no more faithful astrologers than Cowan and Patton.—Asheville Citizen.

While all the editors agree that at Wilmington last week everything was delightful and well appointed, the programme was carried through to the queen's taste and to the thorough delight of all, but the one thing that we failed to understand was how that dance at Lumina for the editors landed on the programme. We didn't see an editor there who could turkey trot, bunny hug, one-step or what not. We are forced to believe that this must have been put on when it was learned that Whichard, of the Greenville Reflector, and Fricklinger, of the Durham Sun, were coming, but for some reason they were unavoidably detained.—Rocky Mount Telegram.

Four years ago when Mr. O. L. Clark and Representative Godwin were nominated by different conventions at Wrightsville Beach the State Democratic executive committee passed the matter up to the voters to decide by ordering a primary. In a like manner it has ordered a primary for the voters of the third district to decide between ex-Representative Thomas and Mr. Hood, Mr. Thomas and his suporters claimed that the convention which nominated Mr. Hood had no right to do anything more than count the votes cast in the preferential primary. It looks like pretty much the same sort of tangle in the Third that the Sixth district had. —Lumberton Robesonian.

Rev. H. C. Sprinkle was interested in The Observer's article on the restoration of the pine lands along the old Seaboard and he expresses doubt as to whether the pines whose restoration is giving cause for gratification are of the genuine long leaf variety. They are not. These pines are commonly referred to as long leaf in distinction from the short leaf pines of the piedmont section. The longest of the long leaf species is the loblolly. There are a few of the distinctively long leaf pines in Anson and Richmond, but the home of the real long leaf is in the loblolly region. When Mr. Taft visited Wilmington toward the close of his term as President, the committee having the street decorations in charge decided to give him the genuine long leaf welcome. B. F. Keith of the committee made the point that none of the long leaf about Wilmington would do, as it was not the real thing. Accordingly a carload was brought in from an eastern county—just which one we cannot recall. As some of the new trees that have grown up have been tapped for rosin, we should think the restored forests will bear turpentine the same as the old stock.—Charlotte Observer.

THE GUEST OF OUR CITY.

To the Editor of The Star:

We have a distinguished guest in our city. He has been in our midst for quite a while. In his own quiet and impressive way he has gone about bringing love, joy and peace to all such as he meets; healing the sick, comforting the sorrowing ones and giving strength to the afflicted.

We have also in this city of ours those, who possibly have never heard of this kind friend, and there are those who have heard of Him and would not trust Him. I take occasion at this time to introduce Him to the first class and to present Him anew to the last named class.

This man is Jesus Christ, the loving Savior of all those who will put their trust in Him.

"Behold, I stand at the door, and knock: If any man hear My voice, and open the door, I will come into him, and will sup with him, and he with Me."

Yours sincerely,
A DEVOTED CHRISTIAN.

FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage made by A. O. Schuster and wife to J. W. Powell, Jr., and by said J. W. Powell, Jr., transferred and assigned to the Southern National Bank, the undersigned will, on Thursday, July the 30th, 1914, at twelve o'clock M., at the Court House door in the County of New Hanover, sell, at public auction, for cash, the following described property, situate in the city of Wilmington, to satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage:

First—A lot beginning at Southwest intersection of Market and Eleventh streets; runs West with Southern line of Market street 66 feet; thence South, parallel with Eleventh street 150 feet to Meadow street; thence East with Northern line of Meadow street 66 feet to Eleventh street; thence North with Western line of Eleventh street 150 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 161.

Second—A lot beginning in the Southern line of Market street 33 feet East of Eastern line of Tenth street; runs Eastwardly with Southern line of Market street 33 feet; thence South parallel with Tenth street 150 feet to Meadow street; thence West with the Northern line of Meadow street 33 feet; thence North 150 feet to the beginning, being part of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 161.

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by the Wilmington Ice and Storage Company to the undersigned, he will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Court House door in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on Monday, the 27th of July, 1914, at twelve o'clock, M., to satisfy the debt secured by said mortgage, all that lot of land, together with the buildings and property situated thereon,

Beginning at point in southern line of Dock street, at the corner of the lot of the Seamen's Friend Society, 91 feet west from Western line of Front street; runs westwardly with southern line of Dock street 30 feet and 9 inches; thence southwardly parallel with Front street 61 feet to northern line of Potts Alley; thence with said line of said alley eastwardly 30 feet and 9 inches to the line of the building of the Seaman's Friend Society; thence with said line north 61 feet to the beginning, being part of Lot 1, Block 138

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Mortgagee.
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For fireworks, go to Render's Big Toy Store today. (advertisement.)

TO THE BEACH

Suburban Schedule

In Effect Saturday, June 6, 1914

WEEK-DAYS

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
6:25 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
6:55 A. M.	7:10 A. M.
7:25 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
8:00 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 5:30 P. M.	8:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 5:45 P. M.
6:10 P. M.	6:25 P. M.
6:30 P. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.	6:50 P. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Express trains stop at Winter Park Gardens, Sea Gate, Wrightsville and all stations on the Beach.

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FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach.
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
9:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

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SUNDAYS

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
7:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
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12:00 P. M.	

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Lv. Lynchburg	2:45 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
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No. 51. • 5:25 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. •12:45 A.M.
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No. 48. • 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49. • 6:05 P.M.
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No. 57. • 6:20 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Conway and Intermediate stations.	No. 58. • 9:55 A.M.
No. 55. • 3:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. •12:30 P.M.
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Finally Decided to Make the Document Public.

Councilmen Chadwick and Loughlin Thought Paper Too Full of Verbiage—Basis of Health Department Investigation.

The much-heralded "complaint" which is to form the basis of an investigation of the health department by a committee representing City Council, the citizens and the Board of County Commissioners, was made public yesterday morning, following its adoption at a lengthy session of council, by a vote of three to two, Councilmen Merritt, Jones and Wood voting in favor of its acceptance and Councilmen Chadwick and Loughlin opposing it.

Even following the acceptance of the "complaint" there was a hesitancy about making it public, the majority faction of council seeming to be still troubled by the question of "when is a public document not public?" However, on ruling of City Attorney E. K. Bryan, who held that the document, when accepted, had become a matter of public record, it was finally decided to give the public the opportunity of learning what the document contained, and copies were furnished the local press.

Discussion of the "complaint" was long drawn out, but a vote on the following resolution, embodying the acceptance of the resolution, was finally taken, and carried by three to two. Councilman Chadwick at first was inclined not to vote on the matter, stating that he objected to some of the items contained in the paper, while Councilman Loughlin declared, that the report was a joke throughout, and should be torn into shreds by the council. The resolution adopted

"Resolved, by the council of the city of Wilmington, North Carolina, that the document this day presented and read at a special meeting of the council, held to consider same, embodying the complaints and objections of this council against the acts and management of the Board of Health during the time and for the occasions embraced and referred to, be and is hereby adopted as the formal charges of the council against the Board of Health, its officers and employes.

"And the clerk of this council is hereby directed to transmit the same, properly certified to Mr. J. Allan Taylor, chairman of the committee of investigation."

The complaint will be turned over to Mr. J. Allan Taylor, the representative of the citizens on the investigationg committee, and it is presumed that as soon as the third member of the committee, to be detailed by the Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service, is appointed, the investigation will be taken up. Mr. M. J. Corbett is the representative of City Council on the committee. The request for the third member of the committee has already been made of the Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service, having been forwarded by the chairman of the Board of County Commissioners, as provided in a resolution adopted at a meeting of the citizens' committee during the budget controversy several weeks ago, as soon as the "complaint" was formally accepted by council.

During the discussion at the meeting yesterday Councilmen Loughlin and Chadwick both expressed themselves as being of the opinion that the complaint was too full of verbiage. It was their idea that it would be best to have the document gone over by the city attorney and put in better shape. The other members of council, however, did not think this necessary.

The Complaint in Detail.

The "complaint" in detail, as drafted by Councilman Jones, is as follows:

"The Board of Council, of the City of Wilmington, vs. the Board of Health, of New Hanover County.

"Before Committee of Inquiry.

"Complaint.

"The Council of the city of Wilmington, hereinafter referred to as the plaintiff, submits allegations as follows:

"1st. That in pursuance of an agreement entered into between the County Commissioners of New Hanover county and the Council of the city of Wilmington, at a joint meeting of both bodies, the said Council of the city of Wilmington assembled on the 26th day of May, 1913, and passed an ordinance appropriating certain sums of money for the maintenance and upkeep of said Board of Health, for the year ending June 1st, 1914, a certified copy of said ordinance being attached hereto, marked exhibit 'A' and made a part of the records of these proceedings; that on the 10th day of June, 1914, Mr. Albert H. Marsh, a public accountant and auditor employed for that purpose, compiled a complete report of all funds received and moneys disbursed by said Board of Health, for the period of five months, ending with October 31st, 1913, and for the period of seven months ending with the 1st day of June, 1914, a certified copy of said report being attached hereto, marked exhibits 'B' and 'D', and made a part of the records of these proceedings.

"2nd. That the said Board of Health hereinafter referred to as the defendant, has misapplied and unlawfully used and diverted certain funds provided for the maintenance of said Board, under the annual budget hereinbefore referred to, and said defendants have unlawfully used and diverted certain other funds received by said Board for scavenger services, for the period of five months ending October 31st, 1913, said diversion and misapplication of funds having been done in the manner and for the purpose hereinafter set forth and in violation of law, and in violation of an ordinance of the city of Wilmington, adopting the annual budget for the year ending June 1st, 1914, a certified copy of said ordinance being attached hereto and referred to in paragraph one hereof:

"(a) That said annual budget provided an annual salary of Two Thousand Four Hundred Dollars for the Superintendent of Health, whereas, defendants have unlawfully paid said Superintendent an annual salary of Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Eight Dollars and thirty-five cents, which is an unlawful expenditure of the sum of $308.35, in excess of the amount authorized for this purpose; that said budget provides the sum of Three Thousand Dollars for the employment of two Assistants to the Superintendent of Health, the sum of Fifteen Hundred dollars per annum to be paid each of said Assistants, whereas, defendants have employed only one assistant superintendent of health and have paid said assistant an annual salary of Eighteen Hundred Dollars, which is an unlawful expenditure of Three Hundred Dollars in excess of the amount authorized for this purpose; that said budget authorizes an expenditure of the sum of Six Hundred Dollars for the employment of a Meat and Milk Inspector, whereas, defendants have paid the sum of Six Hundred and Seventy Dollars to this Inspector, which constitutes an unlawful use and diversion of the sum of Seventy Dollars; that said budget provides the sum of Seven and Twenty Dollars for the employment of a Stenographer and the sum of Eight Hundred and Forty Dollars for the employment of a Chief of Sanitary Police, whereas, defendants have paid these employes an annual salary of Seven Hundred and Forty-five Dollars and Eight Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars, respectively, thereby unlawfully diverting and expending the total sum of Fifty Dollars in excess of the amounts authorized to be expended for these purposes; that the further sum of One Thousand Four Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars, authorized and provided under said annual budget as an annual salary in part, for the second assistant health officer, which position has been left vacant and unfilled has been misapplied and diverted by defendants to purposes unknown to plaintiffs; that said annual budget provides funds for the employment of one sanitary police chief, one fumigating officer and six sanitary police officers, whereas, defendants have employed one chief, one fumigating officer and only five sanitary police officers, and have misapplied and diverted the excess of funds thereby accruing in a manner and for purposes unknown to the said plaintiffs.

"(b) That, the said annual budget provided a contingent fund of Six Hundred Dollars, which is the full amount asked for by defendants, whereas, the report of the Auditor of accounts, appended hereto, shows that defendants have expended the sum of One Thousand One Hundred and Thirty-six Dollars and Fifty-two cents under the head of said contingent fund, thereby showing an unlawful diversion of funds and expenditure by defendants of the sum of $536.52, in violation of law.

"(c) That, said defendants have collected the sum of One Thousand, Five Hundred and Forty-nine Dollars and Forty-five cents for scavenger services for three months ending with September 1st, 1913, said sum being money received by defendants in excess of the total appropriation provided in said annual Budget, and said sum of money has been unlawfully diverted and expended by defendants for purposes unauthorized and in excess of the full amount of funds provided in said Budget for maintenance and upkeep of the said Board of Health for the year ending June 1st, 1914.

"(d) The plaintiff is informed and believes, and therefore alleges, that the defendants have diverted and misapplied a sum of money, amount unknown to plaintiffs, for the purchase of an automobile for the use of the assistant superintendent of health, the expenditure of the money used in this transaction not having been carried in the Budget, or otherwise authorized, constitutes an unlawful expenditure of public money.

"3rd. The plaintiff alleges, upon information and belief, that defendants have permitted and allowed the use of the automobile above referred to by the Assistant Superintendent of Health in the private practice of his profession, in violation of law requiring said Assistant Superintendent to devote his entire time in discharging the duties of his office.

"4th. Plaintiffs allege, upon information and belief, that said Assistant Superintendent of Health has upon numerous occasions charged indigent poor persons for his services, sometimes collecting such fees out of insurance accruing to sucr persons, in the event of the death of the persons treated by him; and it is further alleged, upon information and belief that the said Superintendent of Health has been frequently discourteous to poor persons applying at his office for medical assistance, ofttimes dismissing such needy persons from his office with the remark that they should apply for assistance at stated hours of the day, an instance of similar purport and neglect having occurred only recently, when said Superintendent refused 'first aid to the injured,' in the case of an injured employe of the Street Department of the city of Wilmington.

"5th. That the amount asked for in the Budget for the fiscal year, if finally allowed and expended for these salaries of the Sanitary Police force, will be an extravagant expenditure of public funds, for reasons as follows:

"(a) The installation of a complete sewer system by the City which is constantly reducing the number of surface closets, greatly minimizes the inspection work heretofore done by the sanitary police force and this class of work will soon become entirely unnecessary.

"(b) The recent adoption by the City of Wilmington of a license system for all surface closets, whereby a complete office record of the location of such places is now being kept and the scavenger services given and required for surface closets regularly shown, which eliminates the necessity of inspecting and condemning privies by health inspectors, this class of work, heretofore done by sanitary police officers, is not longer a necessary part of the duties of such officers.

"(c) As the collection of all fees for scavenger service is now being done by employes of the city of Wilmington, and has been so done since September 1st, 1913, this character of work is no longer required of the sanitary police force.

"(d) The fact that defendants have employed only four sanitary police officers for the first five months of the year ending June 1st, 1914, and five officers for the remaining months in said year, although said annual budget carried an appropriation sufficient to employ six sanitary policemen throughout the year, indicates that defendants have not heretofore considered it necessary to increase the sanitary force to the number asked for in the budget for the current year.

"6th. Plaintiff further allege, that defendants have been derelict of duty and neglectful of the public health, in that they have authorized and permitted scavengers and other employes to dump and deposit night soil, for a period of many months, at a point on

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PAIN SUFFERERS USE

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(advertisement.)

EXAMINE RATS FOR PLAGUE

Surgeon General Will Detail Expert to Come Here as Precautionary Measure.

Acting on the presumption that it is better to anticipate any possible outbreak of bubonic plague by finding it in the rat population of the city than to wait until it has been discovered in a human being, the local Health Department has heartily approved the suggestion of the United States Public Health Service, made through the State Board of Health, that an expert from the public health service be detailed to make an examination of the rats here for plague infection. The action follows the discovery of bubonic plague in New Orleans a few days ago.

It will be remembered that the local health department conducted a similar examination of the rats here two years ago, following the discovery of bubonic plague in Havana, Cuba. A large number of rats were examined, and no evidence of plague infection was found, though rats were found which bore the East Indian flea, the recognized carrier of the bubonic plague. These fleas are found in every seaport city.

A letter was received yesterday by the local health department from the secretary of the State Board of Health, stating that it had been suggested by the Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service that it would be advisable to examine the rats in this city for the purpose of discovering any evidences of plague infection, and asking if the Health Department would approve the request of the State Board of Health that a man be detailed from the public health service to come here and make the examination of the rats.

Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, the county health officer, immediately replied to Dr. W. S. Rankin, the secretary of the State Board of Health, expressing his hearty approval of such an investigation, and it is presumed that the approval of the local health authorities will be forwarded to the head of the public health service at once, and that a man will be detailed from that service to come here and make the examination in the immediate future.

SEVERAL ROAD SENTENCES.

Negro Slapped White Boy and Got 30 Days—Other Cases.

Henry Corrins, colored elevator boy at the Garrell Building, was found guilty in the Recorder's court yesterday morning of an assault and battery on a small white boy, and was sentenced to 30 days on the county roads. Corrins took an appeal to Superior Court, and his bond was fixed at $50, which he gave. The negro slapped the white boy following a dispute which arose when the boy wanted to go up in the elevator.

Willie Dry, colored, who started off to make it his business in life to keep others from being dry, ran afoul of the law on a charge of violating the prohibition law, and when the smoke cleared away and the evidence was all in in the court yesterday, the Recorder sentenced him to six months on the county roads.

Buck Larkins, colored, submitted to a charge of an assault on a female, and prayer for judgment was continued on the payment of costs.

Maggie Smith, colored, who recently escaped from the county farm, was given an additional 30 days, sentence to begin upon expiration of her present term.

Five cases against Thos. Lossen, white, charged with violating the city sanitary ordinances, were continued until July 7th.

FRYING PAN LIGHT VESSEL.

To Be Temporarily Replaced by Relief Vessel August 1.

Frying Pan Shoals light vessel s to be temporarily replaced by a relief vessel, about August 1, 1914, according to the official "Notice to Mariners," issued by the lighthouse service, which gives the following description of the relieving vessel:

"The relieving vessel is a steamer with a tubular mast surmounted by lantern with gallery. Red hull with middle section white, Stack, mast, and lantern black. Relief in black on each side. The vessel shows one fixed white light of about 480 candlepower, 48 feet above water, visble 12 miles.

"The fog signal and submarine bell sound the same characteristics as those of the station vessel.

"The relief light vessel receives and transmits radio messegase."

BUYS MARKET STREET STORE.

Mr. Chas. F. Green Acquires Valuable Property—Consideration.

For a consideration said to be in the neighborhood of $10,000, Mr. Chas. F. Green, proprietor of Green's Pharmacy, yesterday purchased through the real estate agency of Messrs. James & James, that valuable store at 109 Market street, occupied by the Singer Sewing Machine Co. The property was purchased from Dr. J. H. Honnet and Mr. George Honnet. The lot is 15x60 feet and it may be later occupied by Mr. Green for his drug store, which is one of the oldest and best known in the city.

Repairs to Turnpike.

For the past ten days Superintendent of Roads Burnett has had a force of men and teams at work on substantial repairs to the shell road between Wilmington and Wrightsville. Much of the road between Delgado and Winter Park Gardens has been treated to another coat of oil after having been repaired and all the roads leading through Winter Park have been substantially re-paired and oiled. While this work has been going on other squads of convicts have been doing effective work in other sections of the county.

Small Blaze Thursday Night.

Fire at 10:30 Thursday night, said to have been caused by sparks from a chimney, in Stevenson's alley on Seventh street, between Orange and Ann, did considerable damage to the home of William Burnett, colored. The loss was about $150 with little insurance. The fire alarm was turned in promptly from box 48 and the firemen from the Central station were soon on the scene. Their efficient work saved the dwelling from being burned down. Nearly all of the roof was burned off, however.

Postoffice Hours Today.

Today being a legal holiday, the postoffice service will be curtailed to a minimum. The carriers will make one delivery and collection during the morning and the general delivery window will be open in the evening from 7 to 8 o'clock. The stamp window will not be opened during the day, and no stamps will be sold.

YEARLY POSTOFFICE RECEIPTS

Increase of More Than $6,000 for Fiscal Year Ended July 1—Money Order Transactions.

It has been well said that there is no truer barometer of business conditions in any city or town than its postoffice receipts, what is taken in and dispatched from Uncle Sam's big institution, reflecting all lines of commercial and business activity.

That Wilmington has continued to prosper and go forward, in spite of the general depression all over the country, whether psychological or otherwise, is well borne out in the figures for the fiscal year ended July 1, as made public yesterday by Postmaster H. McL. Green, these showing an increase of $6,363.42 for the 12 months.

While the amount is not large the increase has been constant, every quarter for the fiscal year showing slight gains, while most businesses have beeen considered doing very well indeed when they held their own, so to speak, with the highwater figures that were obtaining about a year ago.

The total receipts at the Wilmington office for the year just ended were $141,570.18, against $135,206.76 for the fiscal year ended in 1913. For the quarter ended September 30, 1912, the receipts were $31,308.46, while for the quarter ended September 30, 1913, they were $32,049.75. For the quarter ended December 31, 1912, the receipts were $34,681.20, while for the quarter ended last December 31, the amount was $38,863.05. For the first quarter in 1913, the receipts were $35,017.09, while for the first quarter of 1914, the amount was $36,350.56. For the quarter ended July 1, 1913, the receipts were $34,200.01, while for this year, quarter just ended, the receipts were $34,306.82.

While the general receipts of the office were on the increase the money order business also did well, the total transactions for the year having footed up to the splendid total of $1,078,038.84. The domestic orders issued amounted to $291,188.97 and the fees on the same were $3,099.53; international orders issued, $16,437.38 on which the fees were $212.95. The remittances received were $767,100.01, making the grand total of more than a million as stated. So it will be seen that Uncle Sam's institution in Wilmington, considering alone its money order business, is a million dollar concern and it will be doing business here for many years to come.

These figures, of course, do not take into account the large amount of business handled by parcel post, as to which, of course, there are no comparative figures for the reason the parcels post was not in operation the past fiscal year.

Mr. Green and his corps of aides in the Wilmington postoffice are to be congratulated upon the splendid showing made at the end of their first fiscal year and Wilmington is to be felicitated that she is still holding more than her own in the growth of her postal business.

THANKS FROM THE PRESS.

Local Executive Committee Grateful for Assistance Rendered.

At a meeting Thursday afternoon of the executive committee of the local press asspciation, resolutions expressing appreciation of the services of all who contributed in any measure to the splendid entertainment of the North Carolina Press Association were unanimously passed and all outstanding bills for expenses were approved and ordered paid.

The meeting was presided over by Mr. James H. Cowan, the chairman, and resolutions were directed to be drawn thanking the Tidewater Power Co., Capt. John W. Harper, Chairman E. T. Taylor and individual members of the Public Entertainment Committee, and Secretary H. B. Branch, of the Chamber of Commerce; Mr. Geo. H. Hutaff for refreshments; the ice companies for "refrigeration" and to individual business men who were so generous in their contributions toward the entertainment fund, which was complete and left no deficit, and lastly, but by no means least, to Chairman W. A. French, of the committee, and all who kindly loaned their machines and drivers for the splendid automobile trip over the roads of the county, which was such a successful part of the entertainment of the edltors and their friends.

Members of the press also expressed personal appreciation of the kindly co-operation and splendid services of Mr. Benj. Bell, chairman of the refreshment committee, and of Mr. C. L. Stevens, of Southport, who was "one of the boys" from beginning to end of the arrangements and who contributed largely to the success of the occasion.

Refreshing Rains Again.

Again was the Wilmington section visited by refreshing rains yesterday, lowering clouds, which shed copiously, having come over the city about the same hour as on the day before when the first rain of consequence in several weeks fell in this immediate section. According to the Cotton Region Bulletin of the Weather Bureau, issued for the 24 hours ended at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, local rains fell in all districts of the cotton belt except Memphis, temperatures being somewhat lower in the Wilmington and Memphis districts. Heavy falls were 1.28 at Raleigh; two inches at Charleston; 1.60 at St. George, S. C., and from a quarter to three-quarters of an inch at all stations reporting from the Wilmington district.

Well Developed Cotton Bolls.

The Star received yesterday by parcel post from Mr. H. C. Bridger, of Bladenboro, a branch from a luxurious cotton stalk containing a large, well-developed and practically grown boll of cotton. Ten years ago farmers in the Bladenboro section thought it was early to see cotton blossoms on the fourth of July. Now we have the full grown boll. These bolls sent by Mr. Bridger come from a field of about five acres of cotton planted April 9th, or about that date. Reports from everywhere are that the cotton crop is unusually good.

If you have time on the Fourth of July come to Hopkins' Front Street Market. You will see a modern, neat market offering the highest grade beef,, pork, native milk fed veal and the choicest native and Western lambs. We also will show you any of the best brands of ham and bacon. We want you to try Melrose bacon once. We are handling these products in a clean, up-to-date market. We ask you to encourage our efforts by calling and giving us some of your patronage. If you can't come phone 141, 128, or 32. (advertisement.)

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WILMINGTON, N. C., At the Close of Business on June 30th, 1914

ASSETS:		LIABILITIES:	
Cash on hand and in banks	$ 230,005.73	Capital	$ 100,000.00
Loans	2,073,017.75	Surplus	200,000.00
Real Estate	2,400.00	Undivided Profits	59,986.61
Building Fund	50,000.00	Building Reserve	5,000.00
Bond Account	10,431.67	Dividends Unpaid	3,124.00
Stock Account	7,268.50	Deposits	2,098,313.04
Invested Trust Funds	93,300.00		
Total	$2,466,423.65	Total	$2,466,423.65

I, J. L. Williams, Cashier of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. L. WILLIAMS, Cashier.

Correst—Attest:
N. B. RANKIN,
J. V. GRAINGER, Directors.
JNO. D. BELLAMY, JR.

State of North Carolina, New Hanover County.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of July, 1914.
C. S. GRAINGER, Notary Public.

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West Raleigh, N. C.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership of PECK & HOLLOWAY, doing business in Wilmington, N. C., at No. 109 North Front street, has dissolved and that D. F. Holloway has disconnected himself with the said business which will be conducted in the future by W. M. Peck, under the same firm name and at the same place.

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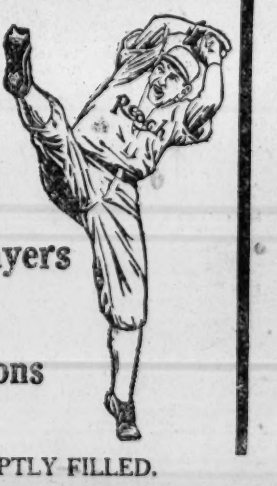

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. C. D. O'Neal is spending several weeks with friends at Society Hill, S. C.

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Miss Conner Jones, of Kinston, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. J. D. Price, No. 115 Castle street.

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Miss Florence Hawkins left Thursday morning to visit friends in Asheville, Salisbury and Raleigh.

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Miss Rose Jones, of Atlanta, Ga., is the attractive guest of Miss Margaret Campbell, No. 315 South Third street.

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Miss Rebecca Townsend, of Wilmington, Del., is the guest of her brother, Mr. A. E. Townsend, in this city.

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Capt. and Mrs. W. H. Pemberton have returned from Mount Airy, Ga., where they spent some time quite pleasantly.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Carter left yesterday for Birmingham, Ala., where they will spend some days as the guests of relatives and friends.

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Misses Ursula Willis and Jocelyn Hall left last night to attend a house party at White Lake, N. C., given by Mr. G. C. Whitted and Newton Robinson, of Elizabethtown.

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Mr. W. F. Clegg, proprietor of the Hotel Clegg in Greensboro, was here yesterday, accompanied by a party of friends with whom he will spend some time on an outing at Lake Waccamaw, N. C.

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Mrs. J. A. Oldham, three children and nurse, will leave Monday morning for Lincolnton, N. C., where they expect to spend the next six weeks or two months. Mr. Oldham expects to join them in August for a brief vacation, returning home with them.

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Friends of Miss Janet O'Neill will be delighted to know that she has sufficiently recovered from the effects of a serious operation at the James Walker Memorial Hospital several weeks ago to be removed to her home at No. 321 South Third street, and will soon be fully restored to health.

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Complimentary to the young men who entertained at a house party last month at Wrightsville Beach, the young ladies of the party were hostesses Thursday evening at a delightful reception at the home of Miss Genevieve Dushan at Carolina Place. The guests numbered about 30.

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The newly elected officers of St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M., were delightfully entertained Thursday evening by Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Newcomb, at their attractive home in Carolina Place. Refreshments were served and associates of Mr. Newcomb in the lodge were most delightfully entertained by the host and hostess of the evening.

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Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. Donald F. Ray returned last night from Wrightsville Beach. Among the number who will spend the Fourth and Sunday at North Carolina's delightful seashore resort are Miss Nora McDuffie in company with her little nephew, Ralph. They will leave here on Saturday morning's train."

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The following announcement is of interest to friends here:

Mrs. Jane M. Coggin
announces the marriage of her
daughter
Rose Evelyn
to
Mr. Henry Columbus Foreman
on Tuesday, June the thirtieth
nineteen hundred and fourteen
Biscoe, North Carolina.
at Home
after July the fifteenth
Albemarle, North Carolina.

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Friends of Mr. H. H. Ford, of this city, will regret to learn that the condition of his father, Dr. C. T. Ford, of Mullins, S. C., who has been at Wrightsville Beach for a short time in the hope of benefitting his health, yesterday necessitated his removal to the James Walker Memorial Hospital. His son, Mr. J. B. Ford, of Armory, Miss., and two daughters, Mrs. Geo. W. Taylor, of Dallas Texas, and R. B. Hester, of Raleigh, are with their brother, Mr H. H. Ford, during their father's illness.

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CONCERT MONDAY EVENING FOR BENEFIT OF THE SCHOOL.

The public is cordially invited to Delgado, Monday, July 6, to a concert to be given for the benefit of building a primary room for the little children. All friends are urged to come. The programme is filled with spicy and attractive numbers, as follows:

Piano Solo—Miss Lucile Moore.
Vocal Solo—Miss Kate Foard.
Reading—Miss Eunice Tucker.
Duet—Malcolm Hale and Pauline Besselieu.
Violin Solo—Mr. David Shore.
Vocal Solo—Miss Bessie Nixon.
Reading—Mr. Montford.
"Occupation of Girls"—Six young ladies.
Piano Solo—Pauline Williams.
Vocal Solo—Mr. Will Muse.
Vocal Solo—Miss Rhetta Stokley.

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BEAUTIFUL CHURCH WEDDING AT CURRIE WEDNESDAY.

Currie, N. C., July 3.—Mr. Carl H. Weatherly and Miss Mary Eloise Walker were married by Rev. J. S. Crowley, of Wilmington, in the presence of numerous friends and kinspeople of the young couple, in the Presbyterian church here Wednesday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. The bride, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Walker, possesses rare charm and culture. The groom is the efficient superintendent of the high school at Maysville, N. C.

Prior to the ceremony, "A Perfect Day," and "I Love Thee," were rendered, with much sympathy and expression by Miss Emily Murphy, of Georgetown, S. C. At the appointed hour, to the strains of Wagner's wedding march, rendered by Miss Fannie Sidbury, of Ashton, N. C., the bridal party entered the church, which was tastefully decorated in smilax and ferns. First, came the ushers, Mr. DeVane Murphy and Dr. Philip Murphy; then the bridesmaids and groomsmen: Miss Iola Ward with Mr. George Highsmith; Miss Annie Faye Heith with Dr. Kyle Walker, of Baltimore, Md., and Miss Florence Murphy with Mr. Clifton Murphy, of Asheville.

The bridesmaids wore dainty frocks of white crepe de chine and carried white roses and green ferns. The maid of honor, Miss Mildred Moore, entered alone wearing nile green crepe de chine, with shadow lace bodice. She carried white roses and maiden hair ferns. The flower girls, little Misses Rebecca Ward and Ella Bertha Lucas, wore white lingerie dresses and carried green baskets. Master Chares Williams, in a smart white suit, acted as ring bearer.

The bride entered the church with her matron of honor, Mrs. James Cornelius Murphy, of Georgetown, S. C., strikingly gowned in flame colored charmeuse en traine, with a beaded lace overdress. The bride was charming in a decollette gown of ivory charmeuse with cour train. The bodice was hand embroidered in seed pearls, while real lace was effectively used in the beautiful draped skirt. A most becoming cap and tulle veil with a shower bouquet of bride roses and lilies of the valley, completed the handsome toilet of the bride.

The groom with his brother, Mr. Ralph Weatherly, of Bethlehem, Pa., joined the bride at the altar, the impressive ceremony being performed under an arch of green.

Immediately after the wedding a reception was tendered the bridal party and immediate kinspeople by Mr. and Mrs. Walker, the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Weatherly left on the night train for Kernersville, where they will visit the groom's parents.

Wrightsville Beach

Captain Packer, master of the Navahoe, was a guest at the Oceanic Hotel yesterday.

Mrs. J. S. Manning, of Raleigh, arrived last night and will spend several weeks at the Oceanic Hotel.

Mr. G. C. Stewart and bride, of Chattanooga, Tenn., are spending their honeymoon at the Hanover Inn

Miss Jessie Lee Burlingame, formerly of this city, but now of College Park, Ga., is visiting Mrs. L. L. Hanby on Wrightsville Sound.

Mrs. Don Richardson arrived yesterday from Brunswick, Ga., where she has been visiting, to join her husband, Mr. Don Richardson.

Miss Beatrice Fairley, of Monroe, is the attractive guest of Miss Louisa Grant, and is the recipient of many attentions from the younger social set on the beach.

Fishing was a popular sport on the beach yesterday and there were a number of parties out. All of them reported splendid luck, though they did not land any big ones.

Recent arrivals at the Hanover Inn include Miss Mary Hill, Washington; Miss Sallie May Tillman, Trenton, S. C.; Mrs. J. Harper Erwin and son, Eugene Erwin, Durham; L. H. Smith, Smithsboro.

Included in the arrivals at the Hanover Inn yesterday were Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Currie, Hamlet; Mr. and Mrs. John W. Hardwick and Mr. and Mrs. I. K. P. Carter, Atlanta; A. L. Ball, Philadelphia, Pa.

Col. "Bill" Pennington, the genial chief clerk of the Oceanic Hotel, surprised his many frends Thursday by consenting to take a surf bath. It was his first of the season, though he has been on the beach since June 10.

A special Fourth of July dinner will be served at the Seashore Hotel today. An attractive menu has been printed, the names of battles, prominent officers and other characters in the Revolutionary War being used for the different dishes

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Pruden, of Edenton, who have been delightful visitors at the beach since the meeting of the State Bar Association, of which Mr. Pruden is a distinguished member, returned to their home yesterday evening.

Mr. Sam Kelly, of Birmingham, Ala., and Editor Joe Patton, of Charlotte, the expert fisherman at the Oceanic Hotel, got a long string of the finny tribe yesterday. None of them were large but there were lots of them.

Miss Sallie May Tillman, daughter of United States Senator Benj. R. Tillman, was a visitor at the beach Thursday, stopping over on her way to her home at Trenton, S. C., from a visit to Washington, N. C., to spend the day with frends at the Hanover Inn.

Arrivals at the Seashore Hotel on Thursday include Mrs. W. E. Borden, Mr. Thomas Borden, Goldsboro; Miss Annie Wilson, Charlotte; G. C. Maxwell, Augusta, Ga.; J. A. Byrd, Eastover, S. C.; E. M. Chisholm Columbia; Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Swayne, Rocky Mount; I. J. Wilkins, Lumberton.

On exhibition at the Carolina Yacht Club today will be a silver cup won by the yacht Princess in [illegible] and presented to the club by Jas[illegible] don Bennett, who is an honorary member of the club. The various Jones-Walters cups, including those to be awarded to the winner of this year's series, as well as other club trophies, will also be on exhibition.

One of the most attractive visitors to the beach this season is Miss Winnie Floyd, of Fairburn, Ga., who with relatives is spending some time at the Seashore Hotel. Though this is Miss Floyd's first visit to Wrightsville Beach, she has won a host of friends and is a social favorite with the Wilmington colony there, as well as with the many visitors from the "outside."

Included in the arrivals at the Oceanic Hotel yesterday were Alex. S. Creasy, Charlotte; Mr. and Mrs. Gavan, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Stephenson and J. H. Lewis, Atlanta; Miss Alice Kincaid, Griffin, Ga.; Miss Nell Lynch, Misses Elizabeth and Teresa Erskine and W. J. Elliott, Atlanta.

Among the guests arrving at the Oceanic Hotel Thursday were Ed W. Clark, Charlotte; Miss Sallie Peck Wyly, Atlanta; F. Q. Hall, Wallace; F. C. Jordan, Greensboro; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hambly, Louisville; Chas. C. Abbott, Baltimore; E. B. Gibson, Atlanta; S. J. Montague, Winston-Salem; Mr. and Mrs. K. D. Futch, Burgaw; Oliver Smith, Carey Hunter, Jr., Raleigh; Ed S. Abell, E. L. Ward, Smithfield, E. J. Bondurant, Athens, Ga.

Two handsome cups will be the prizes in the hesitation contest that is to take place at Lumina next Monday night. The cups are now on display in Schuster's window on Front street. It is expected that there will be even a larger crowd at this contest than attended the one-step contest that took place at Lumina last Monday night. The contest at Lumina last Monday was the most successful attraction that has ever been given at the pavilion.

Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Messrs. Armand deRosset Myers, Jr., Leslie Weeks and Jack Horner will leave today for Wrightsville Beach to spend the week-end.——Rev. Dr. E. K. McLarty, pastor of Tryon Street Methodist church, and Mrs. McLarty and children, will leave Tuesday for Wrightsville Beach to spend several weeks.——Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hagood and daughters, Misses Julia and Marie Hagood, will leave this morning for Wrightsville Beach to spend several weeks."

Fourth of July visitors to Lumina tonight will be treated to a selected moving picture programme one that will contain something to cater to the exact taste of everyone, the assortment consisting of drama, comedy and educational features.

"The Gypsy Romance" is a strong dramatic picture, which gives an interesting insight into the life of this nomadic tribe, as well as telling a pretty story of romance.

"Animated Weekly No. 1092 is an sight educational feature, giving an insight into all world-interest doings of the past few weeks, caught by the camera man. The comedy side is taken care of with "Hard Luck," a full-reel comedy subject.

Among those registered at the Seashore Hotel yesterday were W. P. Hill, Jr., and H. B. Suggs, Huntsville, Ala.; Mrs. A. S. Goss, Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Edwards and Miss Katie Arnold, Athens, Ga.; Mr. and Mrs. H. Moore, F. H. Martin, W. Peters, M. Abraham, Nathan Caplan, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Dunsan, R. G. Taylor, C. D. Miller and Mrs. Luther Rosser, Atlanta; S. B. Leftwick and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McWane, Birmingham, Ala.; A. R. Powell, Columbia, S. C.; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Barnes, Marietta, Ga.; Mrs. John M. McCullough and Misses Helen and Harriett McCullough, Atlanta; K. D. Ellmore and H. T. Bouehier, Columbia; Mrs. T. S. Smith and Miss Bet Smith, Birmingham, Ala.

The largest and gayest crowd of the season lined the beautiful verandas and graced the excellent dance floor of Lumina last night. The reason was perhaps three-fold—the arrival of a large party of week-enders from the south yesterday; the fact that it was the eve of the great and glorious Fourth and the further, and perhaps most important, fact that patrons of the popular pleasure pavilion had been advised of the exhibition by Miss Chandler and Mr. West of their new dance, the Barcarolle The exhibition was in every way a beautiful success and Miss Chandler and Mr. West received the plaudits of the assembled multitude for their graceful execution of the waltz, which is danced to the music of the Barcarolle, from the "Tales of Hoffman." The Barcarolle was declared by those competent to judge even prettier than the "Pavlowa Gavotte," which created so much interest and admiration earlier in the season. The public showed their appreciation of Miss Chandler and Miss West in almost multitudinous numbers last evening and the dance was pronounced one of the prettiest and most entrancing ever given at Lumina.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. W. D. Bizzell and wife were guest at The Orton.

—Mr. C. L. VanNoppen, of Greensboro, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. C. R. Jordan, of Currie, spent yesterday in the city on a business trip.

—Mr. E. M. Toon, of Whiteville, was among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mrs. K. C. Denny, of Rook's was a visitor to the city yesterday, a guest ta The Orton.

—Among yesterday's guests at The Orton were A. E. Lynch, Florence; C. C. Boney, Rocky Mount, and Edward Clark, Charlotte.

—Mr. Charles Hill has returned from his home at Washington, N. C., where he has been spending his vacation.

—Mr. J. F. Harper, formerly of this city, but now of Mauray, N. C., is spending a few days in the city and is the guest of Mrs. E. S. Bannerman, No. 109 Walnut street.

—United States Engineer Harry T. Patterson, stationed at Newbern and connected with the inter-coastal canal work and the Cape Lookout development, was here yesterday, a guest at The Orton.

—Among last evening's arrivals at The Orton were J. H. Coble, Laurinburg; J. W. Currie, Raeford; D. E. Harllee, Greensboro; W. E. Pace, Wilson; W. L. Hill, Raleigh, and W. H. Crocker, Kinston.

—Messrs. D. C. North and P. L. Easterling, "33rd degree fans," left yesterday for Washington, D. C., to witness the American League games there [illegible] take part in the other festivities of the Fourth at the National capital.

—Curator H. H. Brimley, of the State museum at Raleigh, and Dr. John A. Ferrell, of the Rockefeller Hookworm Commission, were guests at The Orton last evening, both being in this section on professional business.

—Mr. Frank P. Turrentine, an old Wilmington boy, residing the past several years in New Orleans, arrived home yesterday to spend his vacation and will possibly not return to New Orleans. His many friends would be glad to see him locate in Wilmington again.

—Mr. J. Bailey Farmer left yesterday afternoon for St. Louis, Mo., where he goes for a visit to the great plant of the Moon Motor Car Co., with which he has been connected for several years. Mr. Farmer goes for a conference with the officials of the company wth a view of enlarging his activities with the firm.

Play at Chadbourn Today.

The Stags, winners of the pennant in the Independent Baseball League of the city, will go up to Chadbourn on the early morning train today to play a doubleheader with the team from that town. The Wilmington boys are enthusiastic over the prospects of winning and will return to the city on the late train tonight.

Will be Heard at St. Paul's.

Rev. E. deF. Heald, of Washington, D. C., arrived last evening and is a guest at The Orton. On Sunday he will conduct services at St. Paul's E[illegible], 16th and Market s[illegible] and will be heard with inter[illegible] the parish.

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at Close of Business June 30, 1914.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$209,774.83	Capital	$ 50,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,806.54	Undivided Profits	4,540.83
Real Estate	12,060.00	Deposits	180,204.64
Cash on hand and due from Banks	11,987.77	Cashier's checks outstanding	883.67
Total	$235,629.14	Total	$235,629.14

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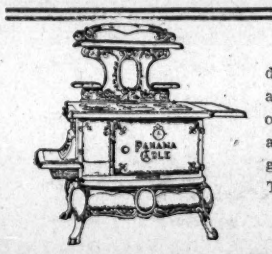

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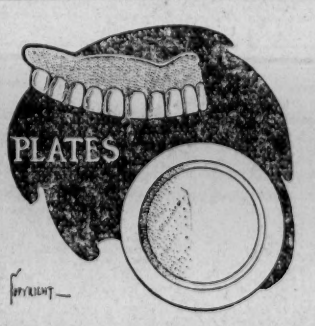

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON WEAK AND UNSETTLED

Prices Lower Under Heavy General Selling Encouraged by Easy Cables Etc.

New York, July 3.—The cotton market was weak and unsettled today with prices lower under heavy general selling encouraged by easy cables, reports of beneficial rains in the South and improving crop accounts. October contracts went off to 12.13 or 15 points under yesterday's closing figures and $4.65 per bale below the high records of June 1. Covering for over the two-day adjournment and a moderate demand from trade sources caused some irregularity late in the afternoon and closing prices were steady but from 14 to 15 points net lower. The market opened barely steady at a decline of 3 to 8 points. There was some trade buying and covering of shorts but rallies of 3 to 4 points were followed by renewed weakness and liquidation was almost sensationally active during the middle of the day. The market broke very sharply with the active months selling about 11 to 16 points under yesterday's final figures. Rallies of 8 or 7 points followed on covering by recent sellers. The detailed weather reports showing generally good rains over the belt undoubtedly added to the confidence of local bears.

Cotton futures closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	12.54	12.55	12.45	12.45
Aug	12.47	12.50	12.41	12.42
Oct	12.24	12.26	12.13	12.18
Dec	12.33	12.37	25	12.27
Jan.	12.24	12	4	12.17
Mar	12			12.21

Spot cotton. ...nds, 13.25; mid...

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

...Middling, 13 7-16; receipts, ...283; sales, 1,115; stock, 74,...

...Middling, 13½; receipts, 1,870; ...81,830.

...Middling, 13¼; receipts, 508; ...3,904.

Savannah—Middling, 13⅞; receipts, 98; exports, 2,140; stock, 15,467.

Charleston—Receipts, 5; stock, 1,624.

Wilmington — Nominal; exports, 200; stock, 16,715.

Norfolk—Middling, 13½; receipts, 181; exports, 979; sales, 25; stock, 17,977.

Baltimore—Middling, 13¾; stock, 2,466.

Boston — Middling, 13.25; receipts, 15; stock, 8,495.

Philadelphia—Middling, 13.50; stock, 1,-895.

New York—Middling, 13.25; exports, 630; sales, 160; stock, 173,633.

Minor Ports—Receipts, 71; exports, 11; stock, 4,473.

Total today—Receipts, 2,963; exports, 7,-243; stock, 343,916.

Total for the week—Receipts, 33,239; exports, 81,681.

Total for season—Receipts, 10,337,790; exports, 8,739,548.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Middling, 13⅜; receipts, 605; shipments, 1,595; stock, 44,886.

Memphis—Middling, 13¾; receipts, 269; shipments, 1,389; stock, 21,699.

Augusta—Middling, 14⅛; receipts, 249; shipments, 51; sales, 16; stock, 14,627.

St. Louis—Middling, 13⅝; receipts, 685; shipments, 880; stock, 17,492.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 34; shipments, 138; stock, 13,964.

Little Rock—Middling, 13¼; receipts, 41; shipments, 203; stock, 15,808.

Total today—Receipts, 1,846; shipments, 4,239; stock, 128,276.

WEEKLY DRY GOODS REVIEW.

New York, July 3.—Cotton goods markets have been very quiet following the embarrassment of the H. B. Claflin Company which was a large distributory of cotton piece goods. Values have held very steady, but coming in conjunction with the normal holiday dullness and the closing of inventories, the influence of the difficulty itensified the quiet of the markets as whole.

Western crop reports continued to account for the dissemination of a great deal of hopeful talk about the future, and it is believed in the trade that stocks are well liquidated and on a generally sound condition. ...are being bought sparingly.

About the middle of the month many new lines of spring goods will be shown. Bleached domestics rule firm. Buying for spring on underwear and hosiery lines has been below normal. Fancy printed goods are active for immediate delivery. Heavy colored goods are steady but quiet. Duck shows some easing again. Curtailment of production at mill centers both in cloths and yarns has increased recently.

Cloth quotations are as follows: Print cloths, 28-inch 64x64c, 3 3-4 64x60s, 31-2, 38 1-2-inch 64x64s, 16 316c, brown sheetings, Southern standard, 8c, denims 9-ounce, 14c, tickings, 8-c Stat. 13 1-2c standard prints 5 1-4c, ...e ginghams, 6 1-4c, dress ginghams, 9 3-4c.

HESTER'S WEEKLY COTTON STATEMENT.

In sight for week, 30; same seven days last year, 35; for the month, 14; same date last year, 12; for season, 14,319; same date last year, 13,610.

Port receipts for season, 10,338; same date last year, 9,813.

Overland to Mills and Canada for season, 1,141; same date last year, 1,073.

Southern mill takings for season, 2,765; same date last year, 2,616.

Internor stocks in excess of September 1st, 75; last year, 107.

Foreign exports for week, 56; same seven days last year, 56; for season, 8,740; same date last year, 8,342.

Northern Spinners' takings and Canada for week, 15; same 7 days last year, 18; for season, 2,485; to same date last year, 2,-617.

Statement of spinners' takings of American cotton throughout the world:

This week, 197; same seven days last year, 230; total since September 1, 13,235; same date last year, 13,097.

Statement of world's visible supply:

Total visible this week, 3,846,019; last week, 4,161,820; same date last year, 3,-229,426.

Of this the total American this week, 2,-128,019; last week, 2,294,820; last year, 1,-865,426.

All other kinds this week, 1,718; last week, 1,867; last year, 1,364.

Visible in the United States this week, 511; do. this date last year, 420.

Visible in other countries this week, 3,-335; this date last year, 2,809.

COTTON GOODS MARKET.

New York, July 3.—Cotton goods markets were quiet and steady today. The only weakness reported was on lines of gray goods for converting. Yarns were dull, linens quiet. Underwear was bought sparingly for Spring and Fall. Men's wear lines were quiet.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, July 3.—Cotton—Easy. Middling, 7.29; good middling, 7.46; low middling, 6.98. Sales, 7,000; speculation and export, 500. Receipts, none.

Futures, barely steady. July, 7.11*; July-August, 7.11½; September-October, 6.70; December-January, 6.54½; February-March, 6.55; April-May, 6.56½.

CLEARING HOUSE STATEMENT.

New York, July 3.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week (five days) shows that they hold $10,589,450 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $20,768,400 from last week.

THE WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW

Prices Broke Very Sharply as Result of Bearish Crop Condition Report.

New York, July 3.—The government crop report making the condition 79.6 per cent, and showing a decrease of 1.3 per cent in acreage, was the event of the week in the cotton market. This official statement proved just about as expected with reference to acreage, but the improvement of over 5 per cent in the crop prospects as compared with May 25th, represented an almost unprecedented gain for the month of June and led to heavy selling for both accounts. Prices broke very sharply in consequence and December contracts sold at as low as 12.25 during today's trading, or 17 points under the lowest level reached on the June reaction, and about $4.25 per bale under the high records made right after the publication of the May 25th condition figures. Local bulls pointed out that notwithstanding the big improvement reported in the crop, the condition was still below the ten year average, and more than 8 per cent under the condition reported in 1911 with which season some are now comparing the prospects, while it was also calculated from the official formula placing the value of 100 per cent on June 25th at 232 pounds on lint cotton to the acre, that the yield indicated on the estimated acreage was a little under 14,-000,000 bales of 490 pounds net, excluding linters. Moreover, it was claimed that spinners were buying more freely on the decline, but the extent of the crops improvement, and the continuation of generally favorable weather evidently created a more aggressive bearish sentiment around the ring than for some months past, and there were numerous predictions of a further decline during the day's trading. Beneficial rains were reported in the South this morning and local bears claimed that a canvass of the belt at the present time would show an average condition considerably above the figures as of June 25th and probably better than the average for the past ten years.

MARINE.

Cleared.

Str. Charlton Hall (Br.), 3,000 tons, part cargo, Boston; Wynne, Heide & Co.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Zuiddijk (Dutch), 2,589 tons, Ryn-ink, Heide and Co.

Str. George Pyman, (Br.) 2,508 tons, Hill, Heide and Co.

Schooners.

Schr. A. B. Sherman Brown, 510 tons, Mafitt & Wood.

Schr. Phillips M. Brooks, Saunders, 243 tons, Mafitt & Wood.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady, 45¾.

ROSIN—Steady, $3.75.

TAR—Firm, at $2.25 per barrel; in casks, 10c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, 2.50 per barrel for hard; 3.50 per barrel for dip; 3.50 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits, 34¾; rosin, 3.80; tar, 2.2... alle... turpentine, 3.00, 3.00, 2.00.

Receipts, ...e above ...—

Spirits Turpentine	23
Rosin	14
Tar	14
Crude Turpentine	9

Receipts same day last year — Spirits turpentine, (—) casks; rosin, (—) barrels; tar, (—) barrels; crude turpentine, (—) barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot, (—); middling, nominal; last year, nominal.

Receipts, (—); same day last year, 48 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, 398,-854 bales.

Total receipts same day last year, 317,-258 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 3.

Atlantic Coast Line—8 casks spirits turpentine; 4 barrels rosin; 14 barrels tar; 9 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Annie B—15 casks spirits turpentine; 10 barrels rosin.

Total—23 casks spirits turpentine; 14 barrels rosin; 14 casks spirits turpentine; 9 barrels crude turpentine.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.

Petersburg, Va., July 2.—Spanish—Farmers' Spanish, steady, $1.30 per bushel.

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 4 to 4½c. per bushel. Fancy hand-picked, 3¾c. to 4c. per lb. Extra prime, 3½ to 3¾c. per lb. Prime, 4c. to 4½c. per lb. Shelling stock, 3¾ to 3¾c. per lb.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., June 27.—North Carolina Peanuts: Market, steady; receipts, light; fancy hand picked, 90c.; No. 1, machine picked, 85c. Fancy hand-picked, Virginias—Steady. Fancy hand-picked, $1.00; No. 1, machine picked, 95c. per bushel.

Spanish—Steady, $1.25 per bushel.

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PRODUCE ...et of a ...

(Quoted by W. J. Mercer...ord ...ne 27, 1914.)

CORN—$2.00 to $2.05 per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, $1.60 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, 90; good demand.

PEAS—White, $2.50 per bushel; good demand.

BEEF—Native dressed, 8@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@12c.; large, no sale.

WOOL—Burry 12 to 15c. per lb.; free, 20c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12½c.; dry flints, 14 @16c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—New hams, 18c.; new sides and shoulders, 14c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 30c.; Spring chickens, 20@35c. per head; good demand.

EGGS—20c. per dozen; may go higher.

TURKEYS—Live, on foot, 18c per lb.

WESTERN GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, July 3.—Disquiet regarding the chances of black rust damage in the next 48 hours gave the control of the wheat market most of the time today to the bulls. The close was steady, at a range varying from ⅝c. off to ¼c. up, compared with last night. Corn suffered a net decline of ⅛ to 1c. and oats a loss of ⅛@¼c. to ¼c. Pork finished 10c. to 20c. down, but otherwise provisions showed a gain of 2½ to 7½@10c.

Futures closed:

Wheat—July, 79⅝; September, 78⅝.

Corn—July, 67⅝; September, 64⅝.

Oats—July, 39⅛; September, 33½.

Pork—July, 21.85; September, 20.15.

Lard—July, 10.12; September, 10.27.

Ribs—July, 11.80; September, 11.77.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 81¼@82; No. 2, hard, 81¼@82¾; No. 2, Northern, 89@91; No. 2, Spring, 88@90½.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 68¾@69½.

Oats—No. 2 not quoted; standard, 37¾@ 38¾.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

July 4, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 76 degrees; at 8 P. M., 78 degrees; maximum, 88 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 80 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .32; rainfall for the month, to date, .54 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 3.3 feet.

THE WEATHER

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday.

The Fort Calendar, July 4, 1914.

Sun rises ... 5:05 A. M.
Sun sets ... 7:27 P. M.
Day's length ... 14 hrs. 22 min.

THE TIDES

	High Water A.M.	High Water P.M.	Low Water A.M.	Low Water P.M.
Wilmington	6:42	7:26	1:54	1:58
Southport	4:34	5:13	10:50	11:53
Masonboro Inlet	4:23	5:02	10:30	11:33

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

July 3, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Temperature: Lowest last night.	Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	pt cldy	90	72	.30
Asheville	cloudy	82	60	.0
Atlanta	pt cldy	90	70	.0
Augusta	cloudy	90	74	.14
Birmingham	pt cldy	94	72	.0
Boston	clear	60	50	.0
Charleston	raining	86	72	2.14
Charlotte	pt cldy	88	72	.0
Chicago	pt cldy	78	64	.0
Galveston	clear	88	82	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	94	76	.0
Memphis	cloudy	88	74	.0
Mobile	cloudy	92	74	.0
Montgomery	raining	96	76	.10
New Orleans	cloudy	92	74	.92
New York	cloudy	82	58	.0
Oklahoma	cloudy	90	70	.0
Palestine	clear	94	74	.0
Pittsburgh	clear	76	56	.0
Raleigh	pt cldy	88	68	.02
Savannah	cloudy	92	76	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	90	74	.14
St. Louis	cloudy	88	72	.0
Washington	clear	80	64	.0

BRADSTREET'S TRADE REVIEW.

New York, July 3.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"Good to excellent crop reports, quiet distributors trade and dull or depressed industry and manufacture are the salient features in this week's advices. The improvement shown by cotton during June, added to continued good weather for corn, oats and winter wheat, made the general crop advices the best of the year, or, indeed for many years past, though hay, tobacco and possibly spring wheat may not meet earlier sanguine anticipations. Distributive trade tended to quiet as the mid-year holidays approached but June was a good month in actual sales, both by wholesalers and retailers, especially in dry goods, wearing apparel, groceries and millinery.

"For the week: Failures 243, aganst 194 last year. Wheat exports 5,700,957, against 3,501,323; bank clearings $3,724,000 an increase of 1.5 per cent."

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FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, July 3.—Mercantile paper, 3¾@4¼. Sterling, strong; sixty days, 4.8580; demand, 4.8770. Commercial bills, 4.85¼. Bar silver, 56⅝. Mexican dollars, 44.

Call money, steady, 1¼@2; ruling rate, 2; closing, 1½@2. Time loans, easier; sixty days, 2¼@2½; ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3¾@4.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, July 3.—Turpentine, firm at 43@43½. Sales, 902; receipts, 739; shipments, 362; stocks, 17,241.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,416. Receipts, 2,-185; shipments, 529; stocks, 105,508. Quote: A, B, 3.70; C, D, 3.80; E, 3.85; F, 3.90; G, H, I, 3.95; K, 4.35; M, 4.80; N, 5.35; W G, 5.75; W W, 6.00.

Washington, July 3.—The comptroller of the currency today issued a call for a statement of the condition of all national banks of the United States at the close of business Tuesday, June 30.

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Amalgamated Copper	70½
American Agricultural	54
American Can	27
American Car and Foundry	51¼
American Cities, pfd	61¾
American Cotton Oil	40½
American Smelting	64
American Snuff	105
American Sugar	106¼
American Tel. and Tel.	120¾
American Tobacco	230½
Atchison	99
Atlantic Coast Line	120
Baltimore and Ohio	90⅜
Canadian Pacific	194½
Central Leather	37⅜
Chesapeake and Ohio	52½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	99½
Erie	28¾
General Electric	149
Great Northern, pfd	124¼
Illinois Central	112½
Interborough-Met., pfd	62½
Kansas City Southern	28¼
Lehigh Valley	136¼
Louisville and Nashville	129
Liggett and Myers	212
Lorillard Co	168
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	17⅜
Missouri Pacific	17¾
Mexican Petroleum	59¼
New York Central	89½
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford	64¾
Norfolk and Western	105
Northern Pacific	111
Pennsylvania	111¾
Reading	164
Rep. Iron and Steel	22⅝
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	88
Rock Island Co	18
Rock Island Co., pfd	28
St. L. and San Fran., 2nd pfd	44
Seaboard Air Line	19
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	54
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	24¼
Southern Pacific	90¾
Southern Railway	24⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	79¾
Tennessee Copper	33½
Texas Co	143¼
Texas and Pacific	15½
Union Pacific	155½
United States Steel	61⅜
United States Steel, pfd	109¼
Utah Copper	58¾
Virginia-Caro. Chem	28¾
Western Union	88¾

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, June 3.—Sugar—Raw, steady. Molasses sugar, 2.67; centrifugal, 3.32; refined, steady.

Butter—Quiet.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spot, quiet. Rio, No. 7, 8⅞; Santos, No. 4, 12¾; mild, dull; Cordova, 12½@16, nominal

Cotton Seed Oil—Firm, in absence of July tenders, covering for over the holiday and support inspired by large advance in lard. Final prices were u... ged to three points net higher. Sales, ...ssel...rels.

The market closed steady. ...ecot. 7.24@7.30; July, 7.2...7.28; Augu...e, 7.4...7.45; September, 7.5...7.56; October, ...7.33; November, 6.95@6.96; Decemb... 6.80@6.88; January, 6.86@6.88; February, 6.86@6.92. Total sales, 4,400.

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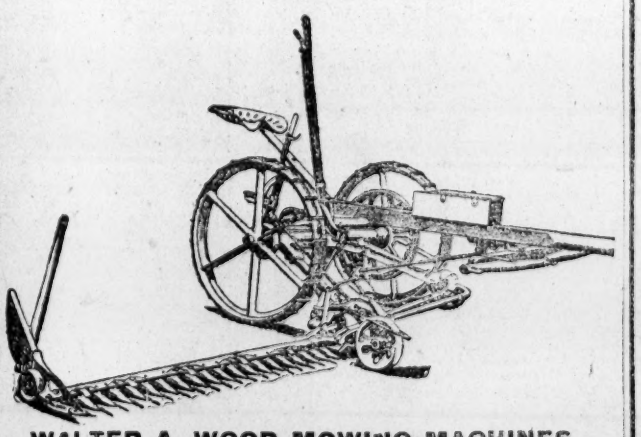

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This 6th day of June, A. D., 1914.

M. J. CORBETT,
JULIA GORE,
Executor and Executrix of Rachel Ann Gore, deceased.

COUNCIL ACCEPTS HEALTH "COMPLAINT"

(Continued From Pge 5)

the river banks immediately south of the city limits and above high water mark, and within a short distance of thickly populated residence sections of the city, thereby setting up and maintaining a public nuisance calculated to endanger public health and to annoy and discomfort citizens generally.

"7th. That defendants have not properly utilized the incinerator plant for burning and disinfecting empty cans and other discarded receptacles and have permitted their employes to dump large quantities of empty cans and other similar refuse in the vicinity of said plant, thereby creating a nuisance and breeding place for mosquitoes and other disease carrying insects calculated to greatly endanger the public health and to annoy and discomfort citizens residing in that immediate locality.

"8th. Plaintiffs further allege, that the said defendants have been negligent of the health and well being of citizens, in that they have failed for a long period of time to have yards, vacant lots and alley-ways within the city kept in a sanitary condition, and that their negligence in this respect became so pronounced that it became necessary for the Street Department of the city to inspect these places and remove more than a thousand cart loads of trash, garbage and other dangerous refuse, which had been permitted to accumulate in the most thickly populated residence and business sections of the city.

"9th. Plaintiffs further set forth and allege:

"That defendants have been most unmindful of the well being of citizens generally and have been grossly negligent in failing to properly safeguard the public health, in that they have continued an impracticable and incompetent man in their employ as plumbing inspector, whose ignorance of plumbing work generally has made it possible for inexperienced and incompetent persons, claiming to be efficient plumbers, to install a large amount of unsanitary and dangerous plumbing throughout the city; that defendants have failed to enforce laws requiring all persons doing plumbing work to first appear before a board of examiners and obtain a license showing the fitness of such persons to do this important class of work; that the incompetency of the said plumbing inspector became so manifest and so many instances of the installation of dangerous and unsanitary plumbing work came to the attention of expert master and journeymen plumbers, the latter filed a protest with the said Board of Health on September 26th, 1913, calling said Board's attention to numerous instances of unsanitary plumbing and demanding that they be given an opportunity to appear before defendants and produce evidence of many instances of incompetency on the part of the said plumbing inspector; that a copy of the written protest filed by the local plumbers is hereto attached, marked exhibit 'E' and made a part of the records in these proceedings.

"10th. That defendants and their agents and employes, the sanitary police force, have been most negligent and careless in failing to properly inspect and condemn unsanitary surface closets, as is plainly shown from their reports of closets inspected and condemned; that there are numerous instances of surface closets which have not been inspected, condemned, or given scavenger services for periods ranging from four to six months; that there are many surface closets in all sections of the city that have not been provided with cans, or other receptacles, as is required by law; that defendants have negligently failed to condemn and scavenger surface closets located in residence sections of the city, instances of such neglect being defendant's failure to scavenger surface closets located in Blunt's Alley, which is in the block bounded by 6th, 7th, Market and Princess streets, which were allowed to go without cleaning for a period of four months durfng the spring of the present year; that the surface closet used by the colored school at 7th and Ann streets has been condemned and cleaned only once during each school term; that several surface closets located in an alley running from 4th to 5th street, between Grace and Walnut streets, were not given scavenger service for four or five months immediately prior to June 1st of the present year; that there exists numerous instances of similar neglect on the part of the defendants in all sections of the city, as is shown from reports in possession of the city superintendent of scavenging.

"11th. Plaintiffs are informed and believe, and therefore allege: That the net results of the work done by the present health administration, both from the theoretical and practical standpoints, has been a signal failure, and that defendants have been either negligent or incompetent in their failure to maintain a pure water supply and for failure to promptly notify citizens when the supply became contaminated. Some instances of these and other acts, or omissions and of incompetency, or negligence are submitted as follows:

"The failure to sound the word of warning sufficient to keep the people from using the Cape Fear river water when it was shown from time to time that pollution with sewerage was occurring. Especially is this notable in the attitude of the Health Department on September 1st, 1913, when Superintendent of Waterworks W. E. Merritt, called to the attention of the Superintendent of Health the fact that the report from the Laboratory of Hygiene in Raleigh showed colon bacilli in not only 10 cc, but also in the greater strength of pollution of 1 cc. With a chemist at the plant of the waterworks this information should have been given to the public at least 24 hours sooner for the water had to be sent to Raleigh and the reply had to come by mail consuming this extra time. It would apear that the people were entitled to this warning earlier (See remarks of Superintendent of Health in reply to Merritt's letter in the Evening Dispatch for Sept. 1, 1913.) This was not the only illustration of this dangerous attitude of the Superintendent of Health for in many ways at many times he encouraged the people in drinking this water and did not sufficiently advise the boiling of the public water supply. There arose in the minds of the public as a result of this attitude a sense of false security and people who had been advised for many years by their family physicians not to use this water without boiling began to use and naturally got it when it was bad as well as when it was good. It would seem to the mind of average intelligence that the possibility of one bad day in the hole year would be justification enough for the boiling of the water every day in the year. For one bad day was enough to bring about an epidemic. It will be seen from a casual survey of the Health Bulletin of the State Board of Health for November, 1913, that for the years including 1906 to 1910 the average death rate was 22.8 and that in 1912 after the present superintendent had gone into office (May, 1911) the death rate rose to 23.7 in spite of a great expenditure of money and the employment of a much larger health force than ever before. We maintain that at least the rate should not have been increased even if it could not be lowered. It is assumed by many that this increase was due to the Health Department's attitude in regard to the public water supply. It will be recalled that the State Board of Health, after a careful investigation of the epidemic of typhoid in 1911 by experienced experts reported that the cause of the trouble was a polluted water supply. It is well known that the Superintendent of Health took issue with this opinion and attributed to a fly borne transmission. The latter is not questioned in part, but it is contended that his attitude tended to ignore the water in the face of the opinion of experts of greater experience in the eyes of the laity than the Superintendent of Health who had only served the city in that capacity for a few months. Had the opinion of the State Board of Health been more heeded and there been more co-operation on the part of this representative of the city of Wilmington, it is the opinion of many that the course of the disease could have been greatly reduced. Surely if a layman were required to pass on this difference of opinion he would decide in favor of the State Board of Health's experts and in any event a doubt existing the public should have been given the benefit of it. It can be shown that while the Superintendent of Health may try to prove that his attitude of comparative indifference to the water supply did not exist still we contend that we can produce witnesses to prove that the public acquired this sense of false security regarding the water supply from him and his office.

"His surface closet was a failure in about 80 per cent of the cases where installed for the reason that it was not simple enough for the class of people to whom it was given. It was found that the odor was almost unbearable, that the flies increased, that the cans overflowed, and most important of all there was no guarantee that the scavengers did not empty the liquid contents on the ground though no such charge is made, but it is contended that with the system of scavengering then in vogue such a thing was very possible and as the work was done at night there was greater danger of such a breach. It is not contended that the can was bad in the hands of the very intelligent when it could be emptied every few days, but when it was allowed to go as long as three weeks without emptying and allowed to run over on the ground surely the system was a failure. A telescope in the hands of a child will not reveal the face of the planets, though it could be accomplished by the trained. The surface closet system was an error of judgment.

"While the problem of mosquito extermination for the control of malaria has been occupying the first place in the attention of Southern health, organizations, and while the smaller cities of North Carolina have been availing themselves of the opportunity to secure the expert aid of the Public Health Service there has been so little done that we are at a loss to be able to find it. The department will protect itself by drawing attention to the decrease in the number of cases of malaria. This is absolutely no index, because physicians, as a rule, do not report malaria and the average person as a rule does not go to the doctor for a chill. In 1913 the medical profession found plenty of malaria of a severe type and this year (1914) there is less because of the drought. The failure to drain certain notoriously dangerous places rests largely with the Health Department for the reason that is sufficient attention was drawn to this danger by them the public would have risen to the occasion as they have always done and the evil would have been abated. Mosquito extermination will never be accomplished in the way the Health Department is doing it. How many health officers have busied themselves with the inspection of sagging roof gutters, a popular place for the anopheles? Ask the health officers if they were ever taught the danger of poorly draining gutters? Because we have malaria with us always is no justification for so little interest in its extermination for it is recognized as being economically the greatest handicap a country ever had. We maintain that the old Health Department before the election of the present superintendent did much more in mosquito extermination than has been done since. Why did not the Health Department secure the services of the Public Health expert who was in North Carolina and who aided Newbern and other cities? It was reported in the numerous effusions of the Superintendent of Health in the daily press that such an appointment had been made, but we have never heard of the expert's actual coming, though we are assured that nothing meritorious was ever concealed by this department.

"We maintain that the attitude of antagonism to the local medical profession was unnecessary. We believe them as a whole to be a credit to the community and to be far above the average. They have always shown a willingness to do their part in anything pertaining to the public good. It must be remembered that they were entirely responsible for the vaccination of this community and county in 1910 and that this work was done by force of the law following the wise advice of Dr. W. D. MacMillan, County Superintendent of Health and Dr. Joseph Akerman, City Superintendent of Health, and that before the present health regime this was the best protected community by vaccination in the whole State. It is further urged that the present incinerator owes its existence to the insistence of the County Board of Health prior to 1911, and that when Capt. Walter G. MacRae was Mayor he visited many places seeking the best type. We are told that on the first days of this advocacy of an incinerator by the County Board of Health that it met with opposition by the present Superintendent of Health. It would seem that these members of the profession are not instigated by jealousy as so often charged for there is nothing to arouse it. Lack of tact or diplomacy or a spirit of tyranny is by far the most likely explanation and it is a well known fact that no Health Department can be successfully conducted without the harmonious support of the whole profession. If the profession is derelict in duty then warrants should long ago have been issued and the matter settled for all times by the courts."

Today at Lumina.

Athletic contests start 11 A. M. Music, dancing, surf bathing. Exhibition dancing and moving pictures at night. (advertisement.)

Business Locals

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words more than 25. One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amount being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city, for advertisements in this department, upon request by 'phone to No. 51. Messengers will also call for Telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, or advertisements for the Star, but a small charge for strictly Messenger Service. Telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams and bills will be rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union," but for advertisements always call the Star office. No. 51. Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at reduced rates, near business part town; hot and cold water in each room; good board. 317 North Third street. jy4-2t*

FOR RENT—Choice, breezy rooms, with all modern conveniences, with table board, at 316 Red Cross street. jy4-1t

SPRING CHICKENS—From 30 cents up. Fresh lot of watermelons, cantaloupes, country eggs, block honey. Star hams, table butter. In fact, everything good to eat at C. H. Bornemann's; 'Phone 853. jy4-1t*

SCREENS—Overstocked. Must be sold. Window and door screens, all sizes. Fruit jars, ice chests, water coolers, at C. H. Bornemann's, Seventh and Orange streets. jy4-1t*

LOST—Friday morning on Front street, between Walnut and steamer Wilmington wharf, or on steamer, alcohol lamp. Reward, if returned to 107 Walnut street. jy4-1t*

LUMBER—For any and all classes of rough, both large and small bills, any quantity, pine, cypress, gum, oak, both red and white oak; some juniper, maple, ash, in sizes from one-half inch by one-half inch, to 16 inches by 16 inches. Delivered F. O. B. cars, LaGrange, N. C. Z. B. Creech, Route 4, LaGrange, N. C. jy4-2t

SPRING CHICKENS—From 25 cents up Sugar, 5c.; table butter, 3 pounds, $1; corn and tomatoes, 3 cans for 25c.; peaches, 10c. quart; limes, 15c. dozen; seeded prunes, 12½c.; seeded raisins, shredded cocoanut and mince meat. Pure apple cider vinegar, 10c. quart. 'Phone 1938; L. T. New. jy4-1t

N. C. HAMS, shoulders and sides. Some of the finest we have ever handled and at the right prices. Country eggs, 25c. 'Phone 1938. L. T. New. jy4-1t

FRESH COUNTRY EGGS, July 4th Special, 23 cents. Open all day. 'Phone 672. Cape Fear Cash Grocery, 109 S. Front. jy4-1t

WANTED—Three good hustlers to call on farmers for an old reliable company. Good proposition to right men. Good, honest work. Mr. Harry Sulter, 115 Dock st. jy4-1t

DEEP WELL—Heating plant together with nice, large, airy house, ought to be good enough for you next Winter. F. A. Lord, Insurance and Real Estate. jy4-1t

TEN SHARES Seashore Hotel stock for sale. I am forced to sell ten shares of stock in the above company. Will take par. Can reasonably expect a 12 per cent. dividend within the next three months. "C. F. D." Box 310, City. jy3-3t*

FOR SALE—House and lot at Summer Rest, on Wrightsville Sound. Has all modern conveniences. Water, sewerage, etc. Can be purchased at a low price. R. R. Stone, 5 and 7 Water street. jy3-tf

IF YOU WISH to save money on every purchase of aluminum ware patronize our authorized agent, C. L. Kuhl; 'Phone 1278-J. American Aluminum Mfg. Co. jy3-1t*

NOTICE—Prices for Saturday, July 4th. You can purchase all 10c. canned goods at 9c. can. Lemons, 20c. dozen; eggs, 25c. dozen; Caraja and Autocrat coffee, 27c lb.; Arbuckle's coffee, 22c. lb.; three bottles Shiver ginger ale, 25c. Best butter, three pounds, $1; compound lard, 10c.; granulated sugar, 5c. lb. Baggett Bros., 'Phone 173. jy3-2t

FRESH LOT of country eggs, just received. Every one guaranteed; 30 cents per dozen; extra choice lot of spring chickens, all kinds of choice fresh meats, fruits, vegetables and fancy groceries. 'Phone us your orders for July 4th, 5th or 6th. Ice cold melons, cantaloupes. Palace Market, 108 South Front street; 'Phone 72. jy3-tf

ROOM — Wrightsville Beach, furnished, wanted. Prefer nice private family or first class boarding house. Good references Address, price, "Young man," Box 266, City. jy3-2t*

NOTICE—We will be open on Saturday, July 4th, all day, and will be glad to supply everybody with their luncheons, etc. May Bros., 130 Market; 'Phone 1322. jy2-3t

MIDSUMMER SPECIALS—For the next ten days: Gents' Palm Beach and linen suits cleaned, 50 cents Gents' wool suits cleaned, $1. Gents' mohair suits cleaned, $1; Gents' white or cream trousers cleaned 50 cents. Ladies' suits cleaned, $1. Wilmington Dry Cleaning Co., 10 North Third. Phone 490. jy 1-5t*

WESTLEY YARBOROUGH, one of Wilmington's oldest barbers, and A. Williams, who has worked at the trade for several years, have formed a partnership and opened the Wilmington Tonsorial Parlors at 28 North Front street. With a sanitary shop and polite workmen, we are at the public's service. jy2-7t

JULY 4th—We will be open Saturday, July 4th, until midnight, as usual, with first-class groceries at cash prices. 'Phone 672. Cape Fear Cash Grocery, 109 South Front. jy2-3t

NOTICE—Hair cut and shave, 25 cents; Hand massage, 15 cents; shampoo, 15 cents; electric massage, 25 cents. Where? At the Independent Barber Shop, where there are 8 white, first-class barbers. 114 Princess street. jy2-3t*

FOR RENT—Wrightsville Beach, Northern Extension, on car line; a new seven-room cottage. See H. E. Bonitz, or C. D. Maffitt. jy2-tf

SCREENS—Phone us your orders for screen doors and windows. We make and hang them for you. Phone 1471, 1013 South Front street. Wilmington Safe and Table Co. jy 1-7t*

BRAND NEW HOME for rent, next to southwest corner Seventh and Castle, over store. Five rooms and bath, all modern conveniences. Apply to J. B. Fales. jy 1-5t

MECHANICS' HOME Association will remain open for reception of dues Saturday, July 4th. Walker Taylor, president; W. M. Cumming, secretary. je30-3t

NEW HONEY, in one-pound sections; price 20c. per block, or 6 for $1, for a short time. Republic asparagus tips, only 25c. can; Sunbeam jams, all kinds only 25c. jar. Thomas Grocery Co., 525 North Fourth street; 'Phone 294. my22-tf

WANTED—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Will pay good price for same. Address, "BZ" care Star.

GO TO Capps-Griffith Plumbing Co., for plumbing material. Closets complete, $9.50; 4-inch soil pipe, 12 cents; sokum, 7c; pig lead, 7c. All other goods reasonable. 'Phone 1132. my27-tf

WILL REMAIN OPEN—Saturday, July 4th, and will open a new series B. & L. stock. Mechanics' Home Association. W. M. Cumming, Secretary and Treasurer. je30-5t

FOR SALE—Printer's imposing stone, several type cases and other printing material displaced by new equipment. Address Morning Star, Wilmington, N. C. je30-3t

WANTED—Burned-out motors to repair. Work guaranteed. Charlotte Electric Repair Co., Charlotte, N. C. je3,tu,th,sa-10t

WANTED—Salesman to sell lubricating oils. House and barn paint and specialties. Big Profits. Champion Refining Co., Cleveland, Ohio. je20-sa-13t

FOR RENT—Building and basement annex formerly occupied by Morning Star office. Twenty-two feet front by 60 feet depth; three floors. Possession given at once. Apply to J. H. Hinton, or at Morning Star office, 709 Chestnut st. ap8-tf

VACATION TIME is coming. Why not see Uncle Charles for a good trunk or leather suit case? 'Phone 642, or call at No. 6 South Front street. my19-tf

FOR RENT—A large, delightfully cool room, southwest exposure, with modern conveniences. Gentlemen preferred. 218 North Second, between Grace and Chestnut. Phone 773. je 24-tf

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ARCHITECT
27, 28, 29 Garrell Building.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The American National Bank

At Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business June 30th, 1914.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,825,111.85	Capital stock paid in	$ 250,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	4,946.81	Surplus fund	31,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	250,000.00	Undivided Profits, less Expenses and Taxes paid	22,683.07
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits, $25,000	25,000.00	National Bank Notes outstanding	250,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc. (other than stocks)	10,000.00	Due to other National Banks	$372,444.05
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	45,055.15	Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers	306,754.71
Other Real Estate owned	11,753.10	Due to approved Reserve Agents	4,659.45
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	74,214.87	Dividends unpaid	7,686.00
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies, and Savings Banks	133,375.51	Individual deposits subject to check	763,821.69
Due from approved Reserve Agents	62,735.50	Demand certificates of deposit	99,795.44
Checks and other Cash Items	$4,684.30	Certified checks	907.00
Notes of other National Banks	2,000.00	Cashier's checks outstanding	882.06
Fractional paper Currency, Nickels and Cents	2,955.14	United States deposits	23,798.56
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz.: Specie	$12,000.00	Postal Savings deposits	400.20 1,591,149.16
Legal tender notes	33,500.00 55,139.44	Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed	355,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	12,500.00	Special Building Fund	10,000.00
Total	$2,509,832.23	Total	$2,509,832.23

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss.:

I, C. E. Bethea, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. E. BETHEA, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of July, 1914.

W. P. McGLAUGHON, Notary Public.

(My commission expires August 24th, 1914.)

Correct—Attest:
THOS. E. COOPER,
J. T. KING,
GEO. O. GAYLORD,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Peoples Savings Bank

At Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 30th, 1914, as reported to the State Banking Department.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,118,120.69	Capital Stock Paid In	$ 65,000.00
Stocks and Bonds	14,000.00	Undivided Profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	97,721.80
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	48,000.00	Dividend Payable July 1st, 1914	1,950.00
Demand Loans	108,687.01	Deposits	1,239,745.43
Cash on Hand and Due from Banks	85,169.64	Cashier's Checks	810.11
Invested Trust Funds	31,250.00		
Total	$1,405,227.34	Total	$1,405,227.34

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss.:

I, J. Holmes Davis, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. HOLMES DAVIS, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
F. W. DICK,
WALKER TAYLOR,
H. C. McQUEEN,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of July, 1914.

J. V. GRAINGER,
Notary Public.

THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK

Capital and Surplus $1,600,000

H. C. McQUEEN, President — C. S. GRAINGER, Cashier.
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EXCURSION FROM ATLANTA.

Nearly 200 Visitors From Georgia and Alabama Points.

Nearly 200 visitors from Georgia and Alabama arrived yesterday on a special Seaboard excursion to Wrightsville Beach. Five solid Pullmans, operated as a second section of train No. 14, arrived about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, bringing 175 visitors, and about 20 more came in on the regular section of the train.

Most of the visitors boarded special cars of the Tidewater Power Company at the union station and went direct to the beach, where they will take part in the many features incident to the observance of the Fourth of July today.

PAIN SUFFERERS USE
Anti-Kamnia Tablets.
(advertisement.)

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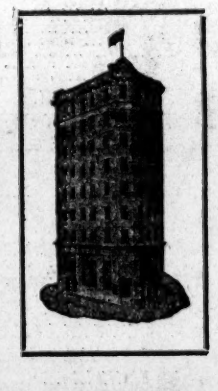

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A Necessity in Determining How Hot The Day Is. Ours Are Highly Accurate
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100 Boxes Lemons, 100,000 Cigars of Various brands. Orders solicited.
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Bargains in the following:
100 Barrels XX Mullets.
100 Barrels Fancy Molasses.
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200 Sacks Head Rice.
800 Sacks Jap Rice.
300 Sacks Broken Rice.
800 Boxes Job Tobacco.
600 Dozen 1 Quart Fruit Jars.
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We also carry a full line of Flour, Sugar, Coffee, Meat, Lard and Canned Goods. All orders will be given prompt attention.
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